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## Hail of Bullets Ends Long Hunt In Arctic Wastes

### Albert Johnson, Homicidal Trapper of Aklavik, Seriously Wounds Staff Sergeant Hersey Before Being Literally Cut to Pieces by Rifles of Police Posse Following His Tracks

By GORDON McCALLUM

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EDMONTON, Feb. 17.—The end of the trail came for Albert Johnson, hunted madman Arctic slayer, when an R.C.M.P. posse cornered him near Eagle River, Yukon, today, and cut him down in a hail of bullets. Before he died he shot and seriously wounded Staff Sergeant Hersey, of the Aklavik radio station, who was a member of the posse.

Captain W. R. "Wop" May, commercial aviator and war-time flyer, rushed Hersey to Aklavik and is standing by until Dr. J. A. Urquhart finds if it is necessary to race him 1,700 miles to Edmonton for additional hospital treatment.

**WENT DOWN FIGHTING**

Johnson, hunted since December 31, when he shot and wounded Constable A. W. King, went down fighting. His rifle was in his arms and pouring out bullets when the police posse literally cut him to pieces with lead slugs from high-powered rifles fired into his body as it sagged to the ground.

While the brief battle progressed, Captain May winged his way overhead trying to get an opening to bomb Johnson from the air, but the police posse was too close and there was danger of overshooting and striking the officers with a bomb.

The battle, waged in the glittering white snows and the emptiness of the Arctic Yukon, ended one of the greatest man hunts in the history of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

Johnson, in the chase since December 31, killed one policeman, wounded another and wounded Staff Sergeant Hersey. Hersey is one of the best mushers in the North and assisted the police in their man hurt.

**SUDDEN CONCLUSION**

For days the police posse had been closing the gap between it and Johnson, and the conclusion came suddenly.

Hersey, with Noel Verville, was in charge of the first dog team in the posse. They were following John-

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## THREE BANDITS ROB MESSENGER

### Escape With $18,600 After Daring Midday Holdup in Winnipeg

WINNIPEG, Feb. 17.—Police cars cruise Winnipeg tonight seeking a trio of bandits who ambushed George Ridd, Provincial Treasury messenger, slugged him into insensibility and escaped with a satchel containing $3,600 in cash and $15,000 in cheques and money orders. A stolen automobile, used to whisk the marauders away, is the only clue the police have to aid them. Several thousand dollars, in small bills, which Ridd carried in his pockets, were overlooked by the holdup men.

**PULLED THE TRIGGER**

Ridd, accompanied by Jack Campbell, provincial chauffeur, was walking from a side door to a waiting automobile with receipts from the postoffice, located in the Government Buildings. As they neared the car two men stepped up to them and ordered Ridd to hand over the satchel. Ridd refused and attempted to run back to the building. Anticipating this, the robber thrust a gun into his side and pulled the trigger. When this failed he promptly felled him with blows to the head.

**WRENCHED BAG FREE**

Wrenching the bag from Ridd's grasp, the bandit joined his two confederates and quickly fled the scene. The stolen car in which they made their escape was rapidly lost sight of in the maze of automobiles speeding their owners back to work from the midday meal.

Ridd was immediately rushed to hospital, where his condition tonight was reported as fair. The unfortunate messenger staged a plucky fight against overwhelming odds and only his lapse into unconsciousness released his hold on the money satchel.

## FERRY SUBSIDY SOUGHT ON V.I.

### Comox, Courtenay Areas May Seek $10,000 Aid to Transportation Development

Courtenay and Comox residents will press, through their representatives in the Legislature, for institution of a ferry service to Powell River, on a subsidized basis for two years, it was learned at the Legislative Buildings today.

Dr. G. K. MacNaughton, member for Comox, intimated the proposal would be made that a grant of $5,000 a year be made to enable the establishment of the ferry.

As Comox Valley residents see it, there is a continuous and prosperous market for dairy and farm produce at Powell River, and direct connection with the Mainland would be welcomed for other reasons as well. The ferry would ply between points handily situated for the two settlements it would serve.

## NEW OUTLET IS OPPOSED

### Engineers Report Western Outlet for Peace Area Not Justified

OTTAWA, Feb. 17 (CP).—"No Western outlet is justified for the present, as the existing railway furnishes the most economical route," is the conclusion of J. M. R. Fairbairn, chief engineer of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and his conferees on the committee appointed by Hon. R. J. Manion, Minister of Railways, to inquire into the Peace River outlet.

The two other committee members were C. S. Czowski, chief engineer of construction, Canadian National Railways, and C. R. Crysdale, consulting engineer. "It will take many times the present traffic to justify another railway outlet," the report says.

The report was tabled in the House of Commons today.

**OBED ROUTE IS BEST**

"The Obed route for a Western outlet is the most favorable from a railway economic standpoint, considering the present phase of the railway situation," the committee declares, adding the recommendation that the matter of a final route be decided when the question is a practical one.

The committee believes that "by the time the volume of traffic has reached a point where a Western outlet is justified, general and possibly local conditions may have materially changed. When the decision is imperative, the whole situation should be reviewed, in order to appraise all the contributing factors, including the potential traffic which may accrue from the lands beyond the definite areas included in this report."

The committee's conclusions were based upon the report made in 1925, supplemented by further data secured in recent surveys of the Peace River district.

The committee felt that to "completely railroad the area chosen will cost a very large sum, requiring the imagination to be projected far into the future."

VALETTA, Malta, Feb. 17 (AP).—One man was killed today when a seaplane from the British aircraft carrier Courageous crashed in the water of Marsa Scirocco. Another man came down safely under a parachute.

## Lieutenant-Governor and Party Arrive

TAKEN shortly after the arrival of Hon. J. W. Fordham Johnson, Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, to open the Legislature yesterday, the illustration shows the gubernatorial party on the steps of the Legislative Buildings, during the ceremony. His Honor is in Windsor uniform in the centre. Reading from left to right, others are: Lieutenant-Commander Kingsley, R.C.N.; Brigadier J. Sutherland Brown, C.M.G., D.S.O.; Commander R. I. Agnew, R.C.N.; Lieutenant-Colonel Victor Tremaine. A. M. D. Fairbairn, private secretary to His Honor, is standing behind the Lieutenant-Governor, while Sub-Inspector Robert Owens and Corporal Hughes, of the British Columbia Police, are in the background.

# Colorful Ceremonies Attend Opening of B.C. Legislative Assembly

### Brilliant Display Seen as Hon. J. W. Fordham Johnson Convenes Assembly

### B.C. CONFIDENCE NOTED IN ADDRESS

**In Victoria's best weather, the fourth session of the Seventeenth Legislature of British Columbia was opened at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon by Hon. J. W. Fordham Johnson, with full military and civil pageantry. The scene was bright with the sparkle of uniforms and alive to the jingle of spurs, and a crowd of several thousand people witnessed the arrival of the Lieutenant-Governor on his first such official mission while guns rolled out their echoes across the Inner Harbor.**

His Honor, attired in full Windsor uniform, took the salute of serried ranks of naval and military guards drawn up in the Legislative grounds, while the band of the Canadian Scottish played the National Anthem. Horses pranced as the cannon boomed out their welcome to the King's representative, and crowds lined the streets within blocks of the scene.

Impressive and time-honored ceremonies followed in the Legislative Chamber, where His Honor delivered the Speech from the Throne. Before entering the building he inspected the guards and complimented the officers on the smart appearance of the details under their command.

The ceremony in the House followed customary ritual, and was none the less impressive. The honor

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## *No Trace of Plane Found In North B.C.*

ATLIN, Feb. 17 (CP).—No word had been received here late tonight of William Graham and Mrs. Edna Christofferson, who left Hazelton in their airplane Monday for Atlin. They were reported seen west of Nahlin, one hundred miles south of here, after leaving Hazelton, but have been unreported since. They were flying from Oroville, Washington, to Alaska to salvage furs from the Hudson's Bay steamer Baychimo, if the vessel could be located.

## STUDENT KILLED BY LABORATORY EXPLOSION

TORONTO, Feb. 17.—V. A. Wood, fourth-year student injured in Monday's explosion in the mining building at University of Toronto, died today. Wood suffered severance of the subclavian artery when struck by a jagged fragment of steel.

The explosion wrecked the laboratory. It shattered all windows of the fourth floor of the mining building. One other student was seriously injured but his condition is not critical.

## WILL DISCUSS WORKING DAY

### Dominion Gov't to Call Conference With Provinces on Eight-Hour Plan

OTTAWA, Feb. 17 (CP).—The Dominion Government will call a conference with the provinces "as soon as conditions warrant such a conference being satisfactorily held," to discuss a maximum working day of eight hours called for in the Treaty of Versailles, to which Canada is a signatory.

In a listless debate, with all quarters of the Commons in general agreement, Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Minister of Justice, made his announcement in the House of Commons today.

"I discussed this question with representatives of several of the provinces last year," Mr. Guthrie told the House. "There was a general agreement among them that a conference should be held, but there was also a feeling which was general that last Autumn or this Winter would not be the best time to hold such a conference.

**DISPUTE IS INVOLVED**

But I still am of the opinion that a conference between the Dominion and the Provinces should be called as soon as conditions warrant such a conference being satisfactorily held. It is not only in regard to this question of the hours of labor that we desire to consult the provinces. There are many questions which more or less involve a dispute as to jurisdiction. These questions are not in a satisfactory condition now, and much good work might be accomplished if a conference were held, and I trust that in the not distant future a more satisfactory basis will be arrived at."

**IS IN FOREFRONT**

In regard to the Treaty of Versailles and the carrying out of its labor provisions, he was glad to learn during his trip to Geneva last year that "Canada was not lagging behind but was in the forefront."

Debate was initiated by Hon. Peter Heenan (Lib., Kenora) who, in a resolution, advocated "appropriate action" for establishment of the eight-hour day.

## *Opportunity For Advance Recognized*

CANBERRA, Australia, Feb. 17 (CP).—The Australian Government believes the year 1932 will afford unprecedented opportunity for a definite advance in reciprocity in Empire trade, declared the Speech from the Throne, read by His Excellency Sir Isaac Isaacs, Governor-General, at the opening of the new House of Assembly today.

Circumstances require a policy based on reciprocal Empire trade, the speech said. The Government intended to review existing tariff schedules and adjust them, subject to the maintenance of a satisfactory trade balance.

**WILLIAM CONSIDINE DIES**

NEW ROCHELLE, N.Y., Feb. 17 (AP). — William Considine, sixty-two, last of the brothers who were familiar Broadway figures in the time of Lillian Russell and Bob Fitzsimmons, died at his home here yesterday. The Considines owned and operated the Metropole Hotel on Broadway.

## CANADIAN FLYERS OFFER SERVICES

### Eighty Airmen Seek Posts in Chinese Air Corps—Consult Consul-General

OTTAWA, Feb. 17 (CP).—Ready to face the dangers of aerial battle in far-away China, eighty officers of the Royal Canadian Air Force, soon to be released from the service, today offered their services to Li Tchuin, Chinese Consul-General for Canada.

The Canadian officers, who are offering their services to China in the battle against Japan, are being released by the Dominion Government, due to general reductions in the estimates for the Defence Department. The officers now are posted at the Ottawa, Trenton and Vancouver air stations.

The Consul-General, however, has had no instructions from his Government to engage airmen in Canada, though the offer, no doubt, will be transmitted to the Chinese authorities at Nanking.

Flying Officer F. N. Brooks, a member of the group, stated the offer to the Consul-General was made entirely on the officers' own responsibility, without any knowledge or consent of the Canadian Government or the Department of National Defence.

## *More Cracks in Vatican Palace*

VATICAN CITY, Feb. 17 (AP)—Engineers today ordered the removal of heavy antique monuments from a section of the Vatican palace because a number of new cracks have been discovered in the masonry. A section of the Vatican wing collapsed several weeks ago.

## Manchuria to Have Republic Headed by Dictator, Is Decision

### Chinese Officials With Prompting of Japanese Formulate Constitution—Signalizes Completion of Japanese Campaign of Occupation

MUKDEN, Feb. 17 (AP).—The new state of Manchuria will be known as "Ankuo," "Land of Peace," and its national emblem will be the discarded Chinese five-barred flag emblazoned by the Rising Sun of Japan.

It will have a republican form of government ruling under what is generally regarded as Japanese direction and will be headed by a dictator, whose identity is persistently linked with that of Henry Pu-Yi, former "boy emperor" of China.

**JAPANESE PROMPTING**

Leading Chinese officials, prompted by Japanese advisers, so decided today in continuing their labors to set up a stable government in place of the military command of the army of occupation. Chief among them was General Mah Chan-Shan, former commander of the Chinese forces in Northern Manchuria and once a stubborn obstacle to Japanese subjugation of the "three Eastern Provinces."

**FIVE PRINCIPLES**

Five fundamental principles will be embodied in the projected constitution, according to reliable information. They are: Vesting of sovereignity in the people, autonomy of the state, equality of races, cooperation among racial elements and maintenance of the "open door" policy.

**COMPLETION OF CONQUEST**

Organization of the government will signalize the completion of Japan's military conquest of Manchuria, which began five months ago with the seizure of Mukden, and will mean the end of the regime of former Marshal Chang Hsiao-Liang.

## COAL OUTPUT UP FOR LAST MONTH

### Vancouver Island Contributes to Slight Improvement in January Tonnage

Coal production for British Columbia in January showed a slight increase over the corresponding month last year, with a total of 151,40 tons mined last month, as against 146,797 tons in January, 1931. Vancouver Island contributed 76,780 tons to the total, compared to 75,868 in January a year ago.

The aggregate in the Nicola-Princeton area was 26,078 tons, an increase from 20,344 tons in the corresponding period of last year. East Kootenay mines had a slight increase, turning out 47,882 tons, as against 50,362 in January, 1931. Coke from Coal Creek and Michel colliery amounted to 4,431 tons. A small tonnage of coal was produced in the northern district, 400 tons, which, however, was double that mined there in the same period of last year.

On Vancouver Island the largest increase was in the Western Fuel Corporation's No. 1 mine, with 36,127 tons, compared to 24,631 tons for the same month last year.

# REIGN OF TERROR FEARED AFTER BOMBING INCIDENT

## FRENCH FACE GRAVE CRISIS

### President Fails to Form Government and Election May Be Necessary

By GEORGE HAMBLETON
Canadian Press Staff Writer.

PARIS, Feb. 17 (CP).—All through the day President Paul Doumer continued conversations in an effort to end the crisis precipitated by yesterday's resignation of the Government, headed by Premier Pierre Laval.

Through the gateway of the Elysee Palace, politicians of every shade of opinion hurried past waiting newspapermen to run the gauntlet of still and motion picture cameras and disappear up the red-carpeted steps. They were interviewed and quoted in an infinite variety of expressions. But France still remains without a Government, and with a situation which is without a parallel even in the tortuous history of French Cabinets.

**CONFLICT FORESEEN**

All commentators agree President Doumer is faced with an exceptionally difficult task. Coincidentally with the defeat of the Laval Government looms the possibility of sharp conflict between the Senate and the Chamber of Deputies. If the composition of the new ministry swings too far to the Conservative right, the Senate may defeat it. If it swings too far to the Radical left, its life in the Chamber will be hectic and uncertain.

And in the possible conflict between the two Houses, Le Temps tonight sees real peril, and urges that a Union Government with a truce between parties is now more essential than ever.

**MAY HAVE ELECTION**

In La Liberte, Camille Aymard suggests that if neither the Senate nor the Chamber will capitulate, dissolution of Parliament will be the only solution.

Louis Marin, president of the Republican Federation and leader of the chief Conservative group in the Chamber, is sharp in his criticism of the Senate. "The constitution requires," says Marin, "that the Government shall reflect a majority of the Chamber. Understand me well. I do not think the Senate has the right to overthrow cabinets as it has done fairly often in recent years."

### Explosion Wrecks Japanese Commercial House in Heart of Shanghai's International Settlement as Negotiators Try to Avert Threatened Big Push Against Defending Chinese

## *League Makes Appeal to Supreme Sense of Honor*

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SHANGHAI, Feb. 18 (AP).—While peace negotiators today attempted to avert Japan's big push against the Chinese army defending Shanghai, an important Japanese commercial institution in the heart of the international settlement was partially wrecked by a bomb. The blast tore away the entrance to the firm of Mitsui Bussan Kaisha, one block from the famous Shanghai Bund, and jarred the crowded business district. One Chinese was killed and four wounded.

The bomb exploded shortly after 8 o'clock before the neighborhood was crowded with office workers. Thirty-five Japanese employees were in the building, but they were on upper floors or in the rear of the ground floor, and although badly shaken, none of them was hurt.

Police blocked off the whole area, keeping back tremendous crowds in the surrounding streets.

**DECLARED TO BE BOMB**

At first it was not certain whether the explosion had been caused by a hand-set bomb or whether it was a shell from the Chapei battlefront. Police found fragments of what they declared to be a bomb, which apparently had been six to eight inches long and made of steel sheeting. The investigators said all indications were that the explosive had been placed on the doorstep.

The battlefronts continued inactive following a comparatively quiet night, but Japanese aviators got in a little work. Five of them reconnoitered over Chapei and surrounding areas. They avoided the international settlement, apparently as a result of increasingly strong

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## *Costa Rica Revolution Is Serious*

PANAMA CITY, Feb. 17 (AP).—Dispatches from San Jose, capital of Costa Rica, said today the Government had ordered the United States Legation abandoned, and that the Bellavista barracks, just across the street from the legation, were being bombarded in an effort to break up the rebellion headed by Manuel Castro Quesada, defeated candidate for President.

A considerable battle was going on, the dispatches said, and the rebels had lost many killed, wounded and prisoners.

Numerous stores in the vicinity of the Bellavista barracks were said to have been sacked by the rebels.

## TWO ARRESTED FOR ALLEGED BUNCO PLOT

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Feb. 17 (AP).—Police detectives arrested M. A. Blatt and William Paul Hudson, both of New York, today, as suspects in an alleged bunco plot.

Detective Chief Harry Kelly said the two men were arrested for investigation as a result of a letter received from Lieut.-Col. J. H. McMullin, British Columbia Provincial Police. Commissioner McMullin, in his letter, described the two men and said he feared there had been an effort made by them to bunco a prominent Victoria citizen, whom he did not name, out of $7,000 on "the race track gag."

## *Party Leaders Win On First Count in Free State Voting*

### Early Returns Give De Valera's Republicans Slight Lead—President Cosgrave Given Wide Majority in City of Cork

DUBLIN, Irish Free State, Feb. 18 (CP).—Tabulation of thirty-four returns out of 145 in Tuesday's general election in the Irish Free State early today showed President William Cosgrave's Government party and the Fianna Fail Republican party, headed by Eamonn de Valera, running close together in their fight for supremacy in the Dail Eireann.

The standing was: Fianna Fail, 15; Government, 12; Independents, 6; Labor, 1.

Early results revealed both the President and Mr. De Valera headed the polls in their respective constituencies. Mr. Cosgrave and a Fianna Fail candidate, T. P. Dowdall, each had an enormous excess of votes over the necessary quota and both were declared elected in the city of Cork.

The Fianna Fail drew first blood when the first return announced the election of F. Aiken, Republican, as one of three members from Louth. Shortly afterwards the re-election of Captain William A. Redmond, son of the late John Redmond, former chairman of the Irish Nationalist party in the British House of Commons, as Government member for Waterford, Munster, was announced.

**BOTH ARE CONFIDENT**

Both major parties were sanguine in their hopes of obtaining a working majority in the Dail, although indications of new strength in the ranks of the Labor party led some observers to the belief that no party would obtain a majority over the remainder of the Chamber.

Results tonight gave no clue to the turn of the tide of the election and no very definite indication of the final verdict was expected before tomorrow night. In the event of a close race it was foreseen that the final result might not be known until after March 3, when voting in Leitrim, postponed on account of the fatal shooting of a Government candidate and a detective on Sunday, will be held. There are seven seats in Leitrim.

**GUILTY OF LIBEL**

DUBLIN, Feb. 17 (AP). — The Irish Press and Frank Gallagher, its editor, were found guilty by a military tribunal today on four charges of seditious libel and fined £100 each.

## FLOODS CAUSED HEAVY DAMAGE

### No Lives Lost in Tidal Waves Which Swept Alaskan Coast

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, Feb. 17 (AP).—Great damage resulted from tidal waves which swept over the Western Alaska coast from the Kuskokwin River delta northward and spread many miles inland, Clark M. Garber, superintendent of the Indian Affairs Bureau, said here today. He has been over the territory and reported no loss of life.

Word of the catastrophe seeped out of the inaccessible section a few days ago, and Garber's account is the first authentic word picture drawn of the great mountains of ice that descended upon the native villages.

**DESTROYED FOOD SUPPLY**

The blocks of ice, he said, crushed igloos, cabins, fish caches and destroyed fish, the principal source of food for the natives. The water flooded the igloos to a depth of four or five feet, trapping the occupants, who had to escape through the skylights. Adding to the terror among the Eskimos was the fact the waves came at night, giving the natives little or no chance to save their possessions.

He said probably 2,500 persons were affected, all of whom would be in dire straits for the remainder of the Winter because their dried fish supply was destroyed and hunting equipment was lost.

## EXPORT TRADE TO U.K. GROWS

### Figures Show Changes in Channels of Commerce in Farm Products

OTTAWA, Feb. 17 (CP).—An increase of $1,889,000 in domestic exports to the United Kingdom was the outstanding feature of Canadian trade in January. That export increased from $7,982,000 in January, 1931, to $9,871,000 in January, 1932, according to the summary issued today by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. Lowered valuations of goods generally in the twelve months indicate a still greater increase in the export of quantities.

At the same time exports to the United States, a trade that has declined seriously since the Smoot-Hawley tariff went into effect in June, 1930, decreased by $4,767,000, or from $22,053,000 in January, 1931, to $18,286,000 in January, 1932.

**TRADE IN OTHER PRODUCTS**

Agricultural and vegetable products, once a heavy export to the United States, totaled only $520,000 last month. Agricultural products represented almost one half of the increased export to Great Britain, or from $3,667,000 to $4,929,000. Animals and animal products to the United Kingdom increased from $1,977,000 to $2,293,000, meats, leather and fish showing gains.

Other advances in exports to Great Britain included wood, wood products and paper from $662,000 to $869,000, machinery from $110,000 to $148,000, nonferrous metal products from $1,063,000 to $1,150,000, nonmetallic mineral products from $42,000 to $43,000, and chemicals from $100,000 to $215,000.

## NATIONAL GOV'T DEFEATS MOTION

### British House Will Discuss New Tariff Bill Clause by Clause

LONDON, Feb. 17 (CP). — The National Government tonight defeated a Labor motion of censure, the third brought forward since December, by a vote of 413 to 39, while the House of Commons voted 318 to 53 in favor of a "guillotine rule" to speed passage of the trade bill to create a general tariff through committee stage.

The House will now discuss the bill clause by clause in accordance with a time table which should insure its third reading well before March 1, at which time the Government hopes to put it into operation.

The Labor Opposition, in its latest vote of censure, claimed the Government had failed to initiate effective measures for reconstruction of the economic life of Great Britain.

The trade bill yesterday was given second reading and moved into the committee stage of procedure after a Labor amendment calling for its rejection had been turned back by a huge majority.

# MORATORIUM IS UNDER REVIEW

## Year's Stay of Principal Payments in British Columbia Is Debated

Enactment by British Columbia of a year's moratorium on payment of mortgage principal is being pressed on the Government by individual members of the House and is receiving some consideration, it was said yesterday by a spokesman for the Government.

The proposal is that the maturing date of all mortgages would be postponed by a year, but interest and taxes would require to be paid as usual. The suggestion has already been canvassed in caucus, it is understood, with some members in favor of the plan and others inclined to advise caution before opening up a remedy with very wide implications.

So far, it is understood, no final decision has been reached by the ministry on the matter.

# HAIL OF BULLETS ENDS LONG CHASE IN ARCTIC WASTES

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son's trail and suddenly saw him coming back in his own tracks.

Johnson saw them at about the same time. He darted off his trail and ran around a point in the bank of the Eagle River. Hersey and Verville snatched rifles from their toboggan and gave chase.

Johnson started firing. Hersey, down on one knee, started to pour bullets at him and one of the madman's slugs struck him in the knee and passed along his thigh and into his chest.

**A HAIL OF BULLETS**

The remainder of the posse, attracted by the shots, arrived. Johnson, surrounded, went down in a hail of bullets. His end was as dramatic as the chase.

Captain May, seeing that Johnson was dead, landed. Hersey was bundled into the machine and taken to Aklavik. As the airplane hummed away the area again took on that silence which had been shattered by the miniature war.

Most of the chase by the posse had taken place in temperature ranging from twenty to fifty below, but when the final episode occurred it was well above zero.

Aklavik area today breathes easier as a result of the killing, and trappers' wives, who came to Aklavik to wait until it was all over, now are preparing to go back.

**ONE WOMAN ALONE**

Only one woman, Mrs. Noel Verville, stayed alone in her cabin while her husband went on the chase. Her home was forty miles from the nearest neighbors, but she armed herself with rifles and kept them cocked and ready.

Hersey's trip to the hospital was easier than that of Constable A. W. King on December 31. King rode in a toboggan for twenty hours, while Hersey was in an airplane for just an hour and a half.

No word has come from Aklavik as to where Johnson's body is. It is likely that it is still in the open, with Inspector Eames, who is a coroner, holding an inquest.

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# GRAND MASTER MAKES APPEAL

## Orange Lodge Delegates Urged to Meet Troublous Times With Fortitude

A stirring appeal to meet the present economic conditions with fortitude and fight through to a greater heritage with that courage which has been characteristic of the British race, was made at yesterday's session of the forty-second annual convention of the Grand Lodge of British Columbia, Loyal Orange Association, by Right Worshipful Grand Master Samuel Gibson.

"The year just ending has been one that may go down in history as the year of the great economic depression; a year the closing days of which are in the shadow of a great war cloud, which is hovering over the nations of the world," Mr. Gibson said.

**CO-OPERATION NEEDED**

"Inadequate co-operation played a prominent part in bringing about, in accentuating and in prolonging our present crisis," the speaker said.

He then urged every delegate to do his utmost to foster a greater spirit of co-operation and good will toward men. Only by such a humanitarian outlook could the troubles of the present year be overcome.

The session opened with a dedicatory service at the Reformed Episcopal Church at 9 o'clock yesterday morning. Rev. A. de B. Owen officiated.

This service was followed by a regular business session at 10 a.m., during which the Right Worshipful Grand Secretary, J. E. Carpenter, and Right Worshipful Grand Treasurer E. Bush, gave their annual reports. A delegation also was received at this session from the True Blue Lodge, which voiced a message of greetings to the delegates.

**ORPHANAGE REPORT**

Right Worshipful A. E. Harron, of Vancouver, president of the Loyal Protestant Orphanage in New Westminster; Right Worshipful S. C. Knowles, of Vancouver, secretary of the institution, and Right Worshipful Miss F. E. Williams, chairman of the finance committee, gave reports on the activities of the organization during the past year. It was reported that eighty-five children had been taken care of and that the financial position of the orphanage had been strengthened by the generous support given by the various lodges.

During the afternoon reports were received from the standing committees, while at last night's meeting matters dealing with the constitution and other lodge questions were disposed of.

The delegates, numbering approximately 200, were photographed during the afternoon. The election of officers will take place today.

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# ELDERLY WOMAN REPORTED LOST

**Police Search for Mrs. F. L. Reid —Missing Man Believed to Be in Vancouver**

Police have been asked to search for Mrs. F. L. Reid, Alkazar Mansions, who left home Tuesday afternoon and has not been seen since.

Mrs. Reid was reported to be in ill health and her friends have become anxious over her absence. She is described as about sixty years of age, five feet six inches in height, stout build and hair grey.

When last seen she was wearing a brown coat, closely fitting felt hat and brown shoes.

Police last night received word that C. E. Ball, reported missing from his residence at Shawnigan Lake, had gone to Vancouver on a business trip.

# *Sir Leslie Wilson Named Governor Of Queensland*

LONDON, Feb. 17 (AP).—Lieutenant-General the Rt. Hon. Sir Leslie Wilson, former Governor of Bombay, has been appointed Governor of Queensland, Australia. He succeeds Lieutenant-General Sir T. H. Goodwin and will take over his new duties in June.

Sir Leslie Wilson is a distinguished soldier. He served in the South African War and in the Great War commanded the Hawks Battalion of the Royal Naval Division, serving throughout Gallipoli and later in France.

# TRAFFIC STOPPED BY FLOODED TIA JUANA

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Feb. 17 (AP).—All traffic between the United States border and Tia Juana and Agua Caliente, Mexico, was stopped early today when the Tia Juana River, reaching flood level, threatened to carry away the wooden bridge that connects the two points with the border. Soldiers were placed at both ends of the bridge to prevent anyone from using the structure.

# WOMAN DIES AFTER HIT BY STREET CAR

VANCOUVER, Feb. 17.—Struck by a street car at Inverness Street and Kingsway Tuesday night, Mrs. Dela McGuirl, Hamilton Street, died in the General Hospital this afternoon.

According to a statement by police, the street car, which is of the "one man" type, was being driven west on Kingsway by Motorman G. A. Langham, when the woman came in its path and was thrown to the street.

"Here's a book," said the agent, "you can't afford to be without."

"I never read," answered the victim.

"Well, buy it for your children."

"I'm single—I have no family. All I have is a dog."

"Well, don't you want a nice heavy book to throw at the dog now and then?"

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# COUPLE FACING MURDER CHARGE

**Arrests Follow Sudden Death of Adopted Child—Remanded by Vancouver Court**

VANCOUVER, B.C., Feb. 17.—John McAdow, fifty-four, colored, and his wife, Eldie, forty-two, were arrested by city police at 6 p.m. Tuesday and charged with the murder of Bernice, six, their foster-daughter, who died at their home, Drake Street, on February 5, as a result of cyanide poisoning.

Arrest of the couple culminates an intensive investigation that extended as far east as Calgary.

Anonymous letters which purported to have been written to McAdow, and which were read at the inquest into the death of the child, proved to be the most important clues in the case, police say. Working on these, detectives made inquiries at all railroad divisional centres as far east as the Western Prairies. Scores of colored persons were questioned, and late Tuesday afternoon warrants were issued for the arrest of McAdow and his wife.

Accused appeared in police court today and were remanded for one week.

McAdow, better known as "Johnny Mack," is a well-known racetrack character.

# REIGN OF TERROR FEARED AFTER BOMBING INCIDENT

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protests against using the air over the foreign area.

Both settlement authorities and foreign business interests expressed grave concern over the bombing incident.

**DEVELOPMENT FEARED**

These commentators declared they feared the incident might indicate the beginning of a reign of terror within the settlement aimed against Japanese property. Such a development, it was said, might grow out of the procedure by the Japanese in the Hongkew section, where the Chinese and their properties are held in the vise-like grip of the Japanese military.

Kuramatsu Murai, Japanese Consul-General, said that peace conversations were going on directly between the Chinese and Japanese, but he declined to reveal the nature of these negotiations or to express an opinion about the probable outcome.

At Japanese headquarters a question about peace efforts brought the reply:

"We have heard nothing of them."

**A SHARP SKIRMISH**

A headquarters spokesman said that a sharp skirmish occurred in the vicinity of Klangwan, north of Shanghai, early today in the course of which the Chinese attempted to drive a wedge into the Japanese lines and were repulsed.

"In this skirmish," the spokesman said, "the Chinese suffered considerable casualities while we lost no men."

The truth about the peace negotiations seemed to be that frantic efforts were being made in virtually all quarters with the exception of probably both the Chinese and Japanese armed services.

Reports that the Chinese and Japanese army commanders were to meet during the day met with a flat denial from General Tsao Tink-Kai, commanding the 19th Chinese Army.

**LEAGUE SENDS NOTE**

GENEVA, Feb. 17 (AP).—Japan's "supreme sense of honor" was appealed to by the League of Nations in its latest note of protest requesting her to terminate hostilities at Shanghai, it was revealed today.

The communication as handed to Notake Sato, Japanese delegate, for transmission to Tokio, said the council was "well aware of Japan's grievances," but regretted she should "think herself unable to accept the method of peaceful settlement, which the League covenant defines."

The twelve neutral members declared that out of respect for Article X of the covenant, guaranteeing the territorial integrity of all members of the League, it could not recognize the validity of Japanese occupation of the Shanghai area.

"Oh, George," she exclaimed, "now that you've seen my new hat you surely can't regret that I got it? Isn't it just a poem?"

"Well, if it is," said George, "I suppose a proper title for it would be 'Owed to a Milliner!'"

# *Miss Slade Is Jailed by Government*

BOMBAY, Feb. 17 (AP).—Miss Madelina Slade, who forsook London society to become a follower of Mahatma Gandhi, was arrested tonight for disobeying a Government order that she stay out of Bombay.

The order was issued Tuesday, and it was aimed at stopping her activities in behalf of the Nationalist cause. Miss Slade went down to Poona, where Gandhi is in jail, and courted arrest by returning to Bombay yesterday with the declaration that she was determined to carry on her work.

# NOTED SCHOLAR TO SPEAK HERE

**Abdulla Yusuf Ali, of India, Will Lecture Tuesday for Council of Education**

Khan Bahadur Abdulla ibn Yusuf Ali is the interesting name of the distinguished Mohammedan scholar who is to speak in Victoria next Tuesday evening at the Memorial Hall under the auspices of the National Council of Education.

It is a matter of deep satisfaction to the council that it is able to bring Mr. Ali to Canada at the present time, continuing its mission of diffusing accurate information concerning India. The political agitators of India, they maintain, represent only themselves and a minute percentage of the 352,000,000 of India. "But they are very vocal, quite nonconstructive, have no regard for truth, are altogether irresponsible, make sentimental appeal to the uninformed, and have no regard for the ultimate good of the peoples of India," to quote the Council of Education review of the situation.

**INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE**

Abdulla Yusuf Ali belongs to the Indian Civil Service, a body noted for its efficiency, selfless devotion to duty. He has a splendid record. He was educated at Bombay University, St. John's College, Cambridge, and Lincoln's Inn, London; was appointed to the Indian Civil Service in 1894, and was then successively assistant magistrate and collector in the Northwest Provinces and Oudh, assistant sessions judge, joint magistrate, assistant commissioner, officiating under secretary to the Government of India, deputy commissioner, magistrate and collector on special duty in the financial department of the Government of India.

He retired from the service in 1914, and received the distinction of the C.B.E. But his public services were not ended. He served in Scandinavia under the Foreign Office and the Ministry of Information in 1918. He was resident minister in the state of Hyderabad in 1921 and 1922, and served on the Indian delegation at the Ninth Assembly of the League of Nations at Geneva in 1928.

"Listen, dear," said the wife. "I've been reading of a man who reached the age of forty without learning how to read or write. Then he met a woman, and for her sake he made a scholar of himself in two years."

"Huh!" grunted her husband. "I know a man who was a profound scholar at forty. Then he met a woman, and for her sake he made a fool of himself in two days."

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# MAJOR LINES ALL SIGN UP

## Dissolving Just One Year Ago, Pacific Conference Has Reorganized

Stabilization of the Pacific coastwise trade has been secured through a reorganization of the Pacific Coastwise Conference, which broke up just a year ago on February 13. Uniformity of rates and practice in ocean-borne transportation between various Pacific Coast ports will be brought about as soon as the new conference programme can be placed in operation.

Simultaneously with the announcement of the reorganization of the Pacific Coastwise Conference, it was stated that a Pacific Coast Lumber Conference had been formed, an association representing the owners of tonnage engaged in the coastwise lumber trade. This conference will co-operate with the Pacific Coastwise Conference in the first organized effort to stabilize coastwise lumber freighting in connection with the stabilization of general cargo traffic.

**MAJOR LINES**

The Pacific Coastwise Conference, as revised under the new agreement and subject to the approval of the United States Shipping Board, will include as members all of the major lines engaged in common carriage by water between Pacific Coast ports. A new tariff on general cargo and lumber will be issued in a few days, effective March 1.

The rules and regulations of the Pacific Coastwise Conference have been thoroughly revised under the direction of the chief executives of the interested companies; and these executives will constitute the board of governors. Under the reorganization plan, the member companies are under bond to maintain rates and regulations. The contract is for a term of one year, and the bond posted amounts to $25,000.

**LUMBER RATE SET**

Alleged violations after proper hearing, if proven, will be penalized in such sum as three-quarters of the lines represented shall fix, charging the offending line, which shall not be permitted to vote. The full schedule of conditions has not been made public, but one thing is known, that the lumber rate for the balance of this month is $9.50, and that for March, $10.

The lines in the conference, some of them calling at British Columbia ports, are the American-Hawaiian Steamship Company, Chamberlain Steamship Company, Christensen-Hammond Line, Kingsley Navigation Company, Los Angeles Steamship Company, McCormick Steamship Company, Nelson Steamship Company, Pacific Steamship Company and the Los Angeles and San Francisco Navigation Company.

# BOY INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

**David Thorburn Taken to Jubilee Hospital—A. W. B. Jones Driver of Car**

David Thorburn, aged five years, of 2121 Spring Road, was struck down and injured in the twelve hundred block on Pembroke Street yesterday evening.

A. W. B. Jones, of 3700 Savannah Avenue, Saanich, was the driver of the automobile. He was proceeding in an easterly direction at the time and reported to police he did not see the boy until it was too late to avoid the accident.

The child was taken to the Jubilee Hospital for examination and received treatment from Dr. W. T. Barrett.

# GETS THIRTY YEARS FOR ARMED ROBBERY

MONTREAL, Feb. 17 (CP).—Leonard Merritt, twenty-two, of Toronto, was yesterday sentenced to thirty years in the penitentiary by Judge Tetreau in arraignment court on sixteen charges of armed robbery to which he recently pleaded guilty.

Three consecutive terms of ten years each and thirteen concurrent terms of ten years each were imposed. If all the terms had been consecutive Merritt would have a count of 160 years against him.

## *Alaska in Grip of Winter's Worst Storm*

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, Feb. 17 (AP).—With temperatures above freezing in most localities, almost all of Alaska yesterday was in the grip of one of the worst storms of the Winter. A heavy snowfall along the Alaska Railroad had delayed train schedules, and planes were grounded because of lack of visibility. Most sections of the territory have reported more snow than usual this Winter.

## Royal Oak

Mrs. McQueen, West Saanich Road, entertained at her home on Tuesday afternoon. The tea table was artistically decorated with green tapers and bowls of violets. The guests included Mrs. Hersey, Mrs. Beales, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Lehman and Miss Bastedo.

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Miss Dorothy Hodgson has returned home from Vancouver, where she visited Mrs. H. Newby.

## *Toll of Blizzard Brought to Four*

LAC DU BONNET, Man., Feb. 17 (CP).—Finding of the body of Gus Shuniwiek, sixteen, who, with his chum, Tony Smaluk, had been lost in the blinding blizzard and intense cold since last Thursday, brought to a total of four the death toll taken by the storm which swept Western Canada last week.

Gus' elder brother narrowly missed freezing to death when he stumbled on a cordwood camp as he was on the point of exhaustion. He had been missing from the search party since Monday and is now recovering from frostbites.

## Campbell River

Mr. F. Thulin and Miss E. Thulin, of Lund, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. Thulin.

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Miss J. Boffy entertained three tables of bridge recently. Those present were: Mrs. Boffy, Mrs. Charles Thulin, Mrs. J. S. Grant, Mrs. H. Nelson, Mrs. F. McCarthy, Miss G. Brown, Mrs. F. McGee, Miss E. Thulin, Miss L. Thulin, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. J. Vanstone, Mrs. C. Fitzgerald, Mrs. J. R. McNeil. The prize winners were as follows: First, Mrs. F. McGee; second, Mrs. H. Nelson; consolation, McDonald.

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Mr. W. Laing, of Victoria, was a recent visitor here.

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Mrs. Charles Thulin and Misses E. and L. Thulin entertained four tables of bridge recently. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. Pidcock, Mr. and Mrs. J. Meredith, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Painter, Mr. and Mrs. Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thulin, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McNeil, Miss J. Boffy, Mr. R. Pidcock, Sr. The prize winners were as follows: Ladies' first, Miss J. Boffy; consolation, Mrs. Morton; gentlemen's first, R. Pidcock, Sr.; consolation, H. Pidcock.

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# CONVENTION TO BEGIN MONDAY

## Thirteenth Annual Session of Ice Industries' Body Will Be Held Here

The thirteenth annual convention of the Northwest Association of Ice Industries, which will be attended by representatives from Canadian and American firms on the Pacific Coast, will be held in Victoria at the Empress Hotel for two days, commencing next Monday, February 22. A. L. Ewing, of Seattle, president, will preside.

A number of addresses on matters pertaining to the ice industry which will provide information for the members, will be heard during the session here, and an extensive programme of business has been arranged.

**OFFICIAL WELCOME**

The gathering will be officially welcomed on Monday morning after the call to order at 9:30 o'clock. Mayor David Leeming will greet the delegates on behalf of the city, while Hon. W. A. McKenzie, Minister of Mines, will represent the Province. S. M. Collins, of Tacoma, will respond.

This will be followed by the president's address and the receiving of reports from various officials. A report of the proceedings at the national convention and the aims and ideals of the national association will be given by A. G. Riddell, of Portland, president of the Northwest Division. Prior to the Monday luncheon, W. B. Wilson, of Victoria, chairman of the entertainment committee, will outline plans for entertainment during the convention. Luncheon will be partaken of in the hotel.

**BUSINESS DISCUSSIONS**

The remaining three sessions, on Monday afternoon and all day Tuesday, will be occupied by talks and discussions on business points. The gathering will be brought to a close on Tuesday evening with a banquet and dance in the hotel, with A. M. Kennedy, of Seattle, as toastmaster.

The delegates will be taken to the Astrophysical Observatory at Saanich on Monday night, where Dr. J. S. Plaskett will give a brief talk on matters related to the heavenly bodies.

On Tuesday afternoon the ladies will have lunch at the Oak Bay Hotel, and an excellent programme has been arranged for the final banquet and dance in the evening.

# *Sahtlam Home Is Razed by Fire*

SAHTLAM, Feb. 17.—The home of John Curry, Cowichan Lake Road, was burned to the ground early on Tuesday afternoon. His home has been occupied by his sister, Mrs. J. Golding, since Mr. Curry's death last Spring. The fire started from a defective stovepipe. Some furniture was saved by neighbors who reached the scene in time. Mrs. Golding is at present staying with her neighbor, Mrs. G. Bergman.


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# PROGRAMME OF WORK LAUNCHED

## Legislative Committee to Inquire Into Unemployment Relief This Session

Progress is being made in resuming highway work throughout the province, to give limited employment to men in provincial camps, and for the relief of needy cases in rural districts, it was said yesterday by Hon. R. W. Bruhn. The men in the camps have welcomed the change, and efforts by agitators to foment trouble at Alico camp and other places have been largely counteracted, the minister stated.

Work is being resumed in all districts where weather permits the prosecution of highway improvement on a part-time basis, it was explained. Several camps on Vancouver Island, and others in widely separated areas on the Mainland have already gone on a work basis; and this will be extended as soon as practicable in those areas where snow at present retards developments.

The cost of resuming a limited programme of work is very little more than the payment out of direct relief without work, while men actually in need have shown an unmistakable desire to earn their board and lodging in this way, the minister said. Much of the cost on the new basis will be recoverable in permanent improvements to the main highways of the province.

The Government reaffirmed yesterday its intention of appointing a special legislative committee to go into every phase of unemployment relief in British Columbia. This intention was first announced by Mr. Bruhn, and reference was again made to the subject in the Speech from the Throne.

# COLORFUL CEREMONIES ATTEND OPENING OF B.C. LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

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guard made a brilliant display of color and uniforms, while hard-won war decorations shone from the breast of many an officer in that distinguished party. Indeed, for all its oft repeated display, the opening of the Legislature this year was one of the most colorful in its history, recalling traditions of a province in Canada's Federation young in history but proud in its attainments during the sixty years of its official existence.

Premier Tolmie welcomed His Honor on arrival:

**SPEECH FROM THRONE**

The Speech from the Throne was as follows:

"Mr. Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly:

"I welcome you to the fourth session of the Seventeenth Parliament of British Columbia.

"Since the last session of this House, the high post of representative of His Most Excellent Majesty the King has been filled by the appointment of the Right Honorable the Earl of Bessborough. We, the people of British Columbia, join with our fellow-Canadians in extending a warm welcome to His Excellency and his gracious consort, the Countess of Bessborough.

"On the 31st July last the Honorable Robert Randolph Bruce terminated his tenure of office as Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia. The good wishes of the members of this House particularly, and the people of British Columbia in general, will accompany him in his retirement.

"During the year just closed, the death occurred of Mr. John Andrew Buckham, who presided as the Honorable the Speaker over the proceedings of the Legislative Assembly from 1924 to 1928. His departure from this life was and will be a matter of regret, not only to the members of this House, but to a large number of the people of the Province.

"It is regretted that the world-wide state of commercial and industrial depression which has been prevailing for some time past is still present, with its accompanying and resultant problem of unemployment. As to the latter, it is comforting to observe the spirit of willing helpfulness shown by those of the public who have given to those who, through misfortune, have not the comforts and necessities of life. In this crisis the workers and wage-earners, always the first to feel the effects of a downward move in business, have shown a commendable spirit of fortitude and courage. This spirit of mutual help among the people of the Dominion was strikingly manifested in the ready and immediate response to the domestic loan launched by the Federal Government for the purpose of meeting the crisis.

**CONDITIONS IMPROVE**

"Indications would seem to be that the situation is becoming easier. My Government has been acting in conjunction with that of the Dominion in dealing with the problem, which has been and still is, a serious one. The municipal corporations, which also are faced with pressing needs in unemployment and fiscal questions, have co-operated in dealing with conditions. The consideration of this question, which was discussed at the interprovincial conference held in Calgary last year, will be submitted to a committee of the House during the present session. The report of that committee will doubtless be a valuable guide in dealing with the subject.

"Efforts are continuing with a view to the development of markets for British Columbia products, with results of a beneficial nature so far. It is intended to continue these efforts, associated with which is the development of the principle of trade within the Empire.

"A party of excursionists from the British Isles is being organized by the Agent-General of this Province in London and will tour the Dominion during the coming months of May, June and July. This party will be accompanied by an officer from British Columbia House who is well informed on matters connected with this Province. Doubtless this venture will result in bringing before the members of the party as full a knowledge, as the time will permit, of the advantages of British Columbia as a desirable country for investment of capital and for settlement. The itinerary for British Columbia has been arranged with a view to bringing before the notice of the visitors not only the vastness of our Province, but, in a practical and personal way, its great potential wealth and varied beauty, a tour which cannot fail in due course to result beneficially to the country.

**IMPERIAL CONFERENCE**

"Owing to the general elections in the Mother Land, the Imperial Conference, which was to have reconvened at Ottawa last year, was postponed to the present year. It is anticipated that such postponement will enable the representatives to deal more fully with the many important questions to be brought before them, especially that relating to closer trade relations between the different units of the vast Empire of which Canada is an important member.

"It is reassuring to report that, notwithstanding the effect of world economic conditions on the price of metals and and the consequent decline in the value of our mineral production, the aggregate quantity output was nearly equal to that of the previous year. This is a tribute to the successful manner in which the mine operators of British Columbia have attacked the problem of reducing mining and metallurgical costs in order to meet changed conditions. It is also satisfactory to find much more interest being manifested in both lode and placer-gold mining possibilities of the Province.

"My Government, appreciating the importance of extending all practical encouragement to the search for and the development of placer-gold mining resources, will submit proposals directed to that end for your consideration.

"Impressed by the work of research disclosing signs of vast possible wealth in that direction, legislation will be placed before you dealing with the administration of oil and natural-gas rights.

"The lumber industry has also suffered, thereby throwing many hundreds of men out of work. It is, however, gratifying to note that the efforts made by my Government to establish markets for lumber have reacted very favorably.

**TOURIST TRADE**

"Of recent years there has developed what we are bound now to recognize as British Columbia's fourth industry. I refer to the growing volume of our travel and tourist business. A brief glance at the records of the past ten years shows that the volume of travel to this Province has grown substantially and has advanced until it has become a fruitful source of revenue. Even in 1931, a year of universal business recession, British Columbia's tourist trade maintained itself remarkably, the decrease being slightly less than that of the peak year of 1930. It is felt that greater efforts might well be directed towards the fostering of this important phase of a business which benefits every section of the Province.

"A commission has been studying and collecting data on the question of health insurance, and it is expected that its report will be submitted during the present session.

"Owing to the present universal condition of business and industry, which has reflected its effect on the public revenue, certain economies have become necessary. Further efforts in this direction may be required, but the utmost care will be observed by my Government to see that such economies as are necessary will be effected with due regard to efficiency in the administration of the public service.

"Legislation will be submitted for your consideration dealing with the 'Land Act,' the 'Placer-Mining Act,' the 'Coal and Petroleum Act,' and the 'Motor-Vehicle Act.'

**NEW PEACE AREA**

"Since the return to the Province of the Railway Belt and Peace River Lands there has been a steady flow of settlers to these sections, especially into the Peace River Block. With the great natural wealth of that area, particularly in agricultural possibilities, a bright future of development is assured. Transportation facilities, which must naturally ensue, will create a period of growth in that treasure house of the North which will contribute to the wealth and prosperity of the entire Province.

"Reports of the various departments of my Government will be laid before you in due course.

"The public accounts and the estimates for the year will also be submitted for your consideration.

"Despite the severe experiences and trying conditions which have been undergone by our people during the past year, conditions which have been met with fortitude and strength, I feel that I am but voicing the sentiments of every member of this House, and of the people of this Province, when I say that our faith in the future of this great country, with its wonderful, yet undeveloped wealth, its record of the sturdy pioneers who achieved so much in the face of what appeared to be insurmountable difficulties, is now, and cannot help remaining, unshaken.

"Entirely confident that the matters which will engage your attention will be dealt with by you faithfully and in the best interests of the people and the Province, I leave you now to your duties, with the prayer that you may have the guidance of Divine Providence in conducting your deliberations and in reaching your decisions," the message ended.

**WORK COMMENCED**

After the withdrawal of the Lieutenant-Governor, Mr. Speaker, the Hon. C. F. Davie, took his seat, and the actual business of the session started. W. H. Langley, clerk of the House, reported the return of Thomas King in the Columbia by-election. Mr. King was escorted by T. D. Pattullo, leader of the Opposition, and Alex Manson, K.C., to Mr. Speaker's dais, where he was introduced and welcomed by the House.

Prayers were read at the opening by Rt. Rev. C. deV. Schofield, Bishop of Columbia.

Hon. R. H. Pooley, K.C., introduced for first reading an amendment to the Evidence Act, to preserve the right of the Legislature to consider its own business first. Premier Tolmie and Hon. J. W. Jones then moved consideration of the Speech from the Throne be taken up at the next sitting. Premier Tolmie announced the personnel of the customary committee to select the standing committees of the House, which will be under the chairmanship of Col. Fred Lister, M.P.P.

**LATE J. A. BUCKHAM**

A standing vote of condolence was passed to the relatives of the late John A. Buckham, former member for Columbia, and for many years Speaker of the Assembly, on the motion of Premier Tolmie and T. D. Pattullo. The Premier and the leader of the Opposition paid sincere tributes to the late member for Columbia, and voiced their regrets at the loss that his death occasioned. In the vacant seat of the late member for Columbia was placed a large wreath, in silent token of the esteem of the House for the late Mr. Buckham. Thomas King, M.P.P., the new member for Columbia, added his personal regrets in the loss sustained by the riding.

**PIONEER LEGISLATOR**

Of more cheery import was the next act of the House, which was the passing of a standing vote of congratulations to James H. Schofield, member for Rossland-Trail, who yesterday commenced his twenty-fifth consecutive session in the Legislature. The numerals "25" done in Mr. Pooley's primroses graced Mr. Schofield's desk, and to this was added other floral and many sincere verbal tributes. Premier Tolmie and the leader of the Opposition spoke in appreciation of the record services of the member for Rossland-Trail, and members pummelled their desks in support of these sentiments.

T. D. Pattullo expressed the appreciation of himself and his supporters at the restoration to health of Premier Tolmie, coupled with hearty wishes for a full speedy recovery of his wonted vigor. Premier Tolmie replied heartily, and a shower of annual reports tabled by Cabinet ministers closed the business for the day. The House adjourned at 3:45 p.m. until 3 p.m. today.

**GOVERNOR'S ARRIVAL**

Attended by naval and military aides, His Honor was met by a mounted escort of two officers and fourteen troopers from the 5th B.C. Horse at McClure and Blanshard Streets, and arrived at the western entrance to the Legislative grounds as guns from the 58th Battery, B.C. Coast Brigade, C.A., boomed out a fifteen-gun salute. Lieutenant J. McCreery was in charge of the mounted escort, and Major Victor McKenna commanded the guns.

B. Company, of the P.P.C.L.I., was drawn up in sections on the east and west avenues to the grounds, under Major W. G. Colquhoun, M.C., and Captain E. B. Underwood, M.C., representing the permanent force.

A smart guard from the Royal Canadian Naval forces and a fine turnout from the 1st Battalion, Canadian Scottish, were drawn up facing the great entrance to the buildings, while the band of the Canadian Scottish was on the plaza below the main driveway. Lieutenant-Commander Colin Donald, R.C.N., and Lieutenant-Commander J. R. Beech, R.C.N., were in charge of the naval guard. Captain E. A. Henderson commanded the guard from the Canadian Scottish.

**THE MOUNTED ESCORT**

The mounted escort from the B.C. Horse took up its position at the head of the western driveway, while across the way on the eastern side was the mounted escort from a B.C. Police.

Aides to His Honor were Lieutenant-Commander H. Kingsley, R.C.N., Major Seldon Humphries and Captain W. Hobart Molson. A. M. D. Fairbairn, His Honor's secretary, was in the party.

Inside the building, Inspector T. W. S. Parsons and Sub-Inspector Robert Owens, of the B.C. Police, commanded a detachment of thirty men from that force, who assisted in marshaling the public and acted as guides to the galleries and corridors of the building.

**COLORFUL ASSEMBLY**

Thousands assembled to witness the arrival of the gubernatorial party, while the Legislative galleries and seating accommodation were taxed to capacity. Hundreds of invited guests filled the floor of the House, while the ladies' and Mr. Speaker's galleries were thronged by a colorful assembly, flanked by public galleries, where standing room was at a premium.

Mrs. J. W. Fordham Johnson, attired in a becoming gown of black chiffon velvet and hat to match, was accompanied by Miss Helen Johnson, who wore a smart brown ensemble and fur coat. With them were their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rogers, Mrs. B. T. Rogers and Miss Margaret Rogers, of Vancouver; Major Seldon Humphries and Captain W. H. Molson.

**GUARDS AND ESCORTS**

The guard of honor in the Legislative Chamber, under Brigadier J. Sutherland Brown, C.M.G., D.S.O., in charge of Military District 11; and Commander R. I. Agnew, R.C.N., Acting Senior Naval Officer for the port, included ranking officers from naval and military forces, permanent and active militia in this area.

In the party were Colonel L. Drum, C.B.E.; Colonel D. B. Martyn, D.S.O., M.C.; Colonel H. C. Greer; Lieutenant-Colonel C. W. Pope, C.M.G.; Lieutenant-Colonel C. F. Ball, V.D.; Lieutenant-Colonel T. B. Monk, V.D.; Lieutenant-Colonel D. R. Sargent, Lieutenant-Colonel F. B. Brooke Stephenson, Lieutenant-Colonel W. L. Fernle, Major Walter Bapty, A.D.C.; Major D. A. Murray, Major J. N. Gibson; Lieutenant-Commander W. R. Beech, Major J. B. Smith, Lieutenant-Commander H. B. Oswin, Major R. J. Parkhurst, M.C.; Lieutenant-Commander H. R. Pingley, Major J. R. Kingham, Major W. A. R. Hadley, Major H. M. Reynolds, Major E. C. G. Chambers, M.C.; Major A. J. Gray, Major A. B. Mathews, D.S.O., M.C.; Major R. O. G. Morton, Major G. B. Soward, Major V. G. P. Barton, Major C. S. Gonnason, M.C.; Major W. G. Colquhoun, M.C.; Captain R. H. W. Clowes, Captain W. B. C. Holland, Shipwright Lieutenant C. H. Brown, Captain S. R. Bowden, Captain S. Robertson, Lieutenant C. H. Evans, Pay Lieutenant R. L. Wright, Captain T. H. S. Horsfall, Captain R. E. A. Dliespecker, Captain D. A. McNaughton, Captain R. G. Christy, Captain R. D. Harvey, Lieutenant A. N. Robertson, Lieutenant J. F. A. Lister and Lieutenant W. V. Allen.

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# TO SEEK STATE AID FOR BLIND

## Board of Management of Institute Will Petition Government for Assistance During Session

Fred Landsberg, honorary director of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, representing Vancouver Island, returned to this city yesterday after attending the regular meeting of the board of management of the institute in Vancouver.

Mr. Landsberg reports that the board of directors by a unanimous vote decided to further, to whatever extent possible, the introducing of their petition for state aid for the blind during the present session of Parliament. The Canadian National Institute for the Blind for some years has been active in furthering aid for the necessitious blind, but for the last year the completing of the provincial legislation for the old-age pensions acted as a barrier. Now tha this has been generally accepted, the board of directors feel confident that their petition for state aid, filed with the Provincial Secretary in January, 1931, will receive further consideration during the present session.

Mr. Landsberg further explains the urgent need of such a measure, particularly to blind people in rural and unorganized districts where municipal aid and employment are unobtainable.

# OUTLINING PLANS FOR CELEBRATION OF MAY 24 HERE

With the idea of bringing new dollars to Victoria, the special May 24 celebration committee is preparing for a three-day fete to be held May 24, 25 and 26, it was announced yesterday by Alderman W. D. Todd, chairman of the business and trade development committee of the City Council, to which a special grant was made by the City Council recently.

Within a few days a meeting of all organizations interested in the celebration will be called, and arrangements will be made for attractions and for a preliminary discussion of a programme.

May 24 has, up to last year, brought hundreds of visitors to the Capital City, but last year, owing to the Jubilee celebration, the fete was abandoned. Efforts are to be made to interest Up-Island points in the holiday festivities.

"If you speed like that, I shall suspend your licence."
"I don't mind."
"Why not?"
"I have no licence."—Gutierrez, Madrid.

# CASTLE BLOCK CHANGES HANDS

## Pemberton Estate Completes Purchase of Property at Fort and Broad

One of the largest real estate transactions since 1929 and involving more than $100,000 was consummated yesterday when the Pemberton Estate acquired the Castle Block located at the corner of Fort and Broad Streets, in the centre of Victoria's business and financial district.

Purchase of the property was announced yesterday by the Pemberton Estate and confirmed by Ray F. Castle, former owner of the business site. The transaction also involves transfers of other properties, both vacant and improved, in other parts of the city.

The purchase of the Castle property is a realty deal of more than ordinary importance, and is the largest single transaction since the transfer of the Douglas and Fort Streets property to the S. S. Kresge Company, Limited.

The Castle Block is ninety by 100 feet and was recently reconstructed by Mr. Castle at a cost of approximately $55,000, at which time the ground floor was converted into stores.

In discussing the recent purchase, officers of Pemberton & Son mentioned that the sale and transfers of properties completed by the company since the commencement of the year would reach an aggregate of $250,000 in value. Mr. Castle stated yesterday that he had a number of other important transactions under negotiation in which he would be on the purchasing side. He declined, however, to make known the principals in the negotiations.

"Good property in Victoria has not decreased in value, although some of it may appear to be on the market at bargain prices. We are confident of a return of real activity in the real estate business," Mr. Castle remarked.

**TAKES STROLL; GONE YEARS**

"I am going just for a short stroll," said Joseph Colpitts, of Bedlington, England, as he left home seven years ago. He kept walking until he came to Blyth Harbor. There the lure of the sea gripped him and he joined a Swedish ship. He visited most parts of the world before he returned home a few days ago.


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| CHICKEN | AYLMER BONELESS ½'s—tin | 33c |
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## A SHORT SESSION FORECAST

The Lieutenant-Governor's Speech which opened the Legislature yesterday was in the main non-committal on the subject of future legislation. It has become a habit now for the chief Bills of the session to come down unheralded by any announcement in such a document. As a matter of fact such Speeches have become, in large part, a review of events that have happened, not a prognostication of events to come. Perhaps a point of particular interest in the Speech is the official belief expressed that the economic situation is becoming easier.

There is to be a Committee of the Legislature appointed during the session to inquire into unemployment and related problems. The actual legislative proposals hinted at are those for prospecting and development of placer gold mining resources, the administration of oil and natural gas rights, and affecting the Motor Vehicle Act. That is the sum and substance of what is promised, but the probability is that the legislative programme contains some other measures, especially amendments of existing Acts. The Speech shows that the Government is doing what it can to establish markets for the lumber product; that in other respects, too, it is working for the development of markets, and that it believes such trade expansion is the best of all means for relieving the unemployment situation.

The implications of the Speech might well be taken to indicate a belief that British Columbia has been suffering from a plethora of legislation and that it is time to call a halt. In any case, the Government is anxious that the session should occupy only a brief period. The Government has important matters to attend to in an administrative sense. Its present preoccupations are the unemployment problem and the institution of economies in all branches of the public service. Possibly, in connection with both, the Legislature may devise ways and means which will assist the Government in reducing estimated expenditures. What the Government may intend in these directions, apart from recent policies, remains unknown, and there is but little indication in the message of the document, with the reading of which yesterday's session officially opened.

## DEALINGS WITH CHINA

Some twenty years ago a Victorian traveling in the East purchased in Shanghai a book entitled, "China as It Really Is," the author of which was a resident in Peking. The opinions expressed in that book are notably confirmed by the story told in Sunday's Colonist by a former newspaperman of Victoria who is now in Shanghai. It is obvious that China measures the attitude towards itself of any foreign Power by the strength and prestige the latter displays in its dealings. For twenty years after the Powers asserted themselves during the Boxer Rebellion, China held those Powers in respect. For the last ten years that respect has been declining, and China has taken advantage of circumstances to engage in open affronts to foreigners, to attack both lives and property and finally to decree the abolition of extraterritoriality. In the book, "China as It Really Is," appears the following:

"The first foreign diplomatic mission of importance to present itself at the Manchu court (1793) was a British mission headed by Lord Macartney who was received—although he did not know it—as the emissary of a tributary state. There, the first error was made, the effect of which it will take several years to destroy. We went to the Chinese cap in hand; as a consequence they got the idea that we were a tributary state begging for favors. They underrated our strength, for no Oriental can understand the stronger treating the weaker with civility and subservience preferring requests in the place of demands and seeking as a favor for that which he is in a position to take by force."

The author relates that trade was carried on under private arrangements with local officials. Merchants were subjected to all the vexatious restrictions, exactions and abuses the local magnate chose to indulge in, and they were many. Trade, however, paid, and the English merchant put up with everything, so confirming the Chinese idea that they were weak and convenient prey to plunder and insult. The second mission to China was different from the first. Lord Amherst, at the head of that mission, was called upon to kowtow before the Emperor. He refused point blank and was denied an audience. This was the first step towards rational relations between the two countries. It is absolutely necessary to impress the Oriental mind with the idea that it is not dealing with an inferior Power. Japan is adopting that policy now in a strenuous way, as, indeed, she has adopted it in other ways for many years past. In their hearts there is no nation which the Chinese respect and fear more than the Japanese.

## "ALICE IN WONDERLAND"

Britain has been celebrating the centenary of the birth of the Rev. Charles Lutwidge Dodgson, who is better known to the world as Lewis Carroll, the author of "Alice's Adventures in Wonderland." The tribute of commemoration is to a dual personality, one who was at one and the same time a respected professor of mathematics and the famed author of children's stories. Lewis Carroll wrote a story which continues, after so many years, to hold the place of honor among children's tales. As the tribute of Mr. David C. Browning in The Glasgow Herald says:

Yet still the Hatter drinks his tea,
The Duchess finds a moral,
And Tweedledum and Tweedledee
Forget in fright their quarrel.
The Walrus still weeps on the sand,
That strews the shores of Wonderland.

The Rev. Charles Dodgson was the stern Don at Oxford as lecturer in mathematics. Outside his college he was the humorist par excellence. It was while at Oxford that he was able to divorce his mind sufficiently and at will from his lectures to write his immortal tale, and for a long time he was successful in concealing the authorship. It was possible for him to write that story because of his intense sympathy with children and his study of their unspoilt spontaneity. He had many child friends with whom he corresponded, and his letters showed a spirit not only of warm affection but of that mischief which so plentifully besprinkles the pages of "Alice in Wonderland." One of these letters was to Miss Gaynor Simpson, who had misspelt his name in writing to him. It ran:

My Dear Gaynor—My name is spelt with a "G," that is to say "Dodgson." Anyone who spells it the same as that wretch (I mean, of course, the Chairman of Committees in the House of Commons), offends me deeply and forever. It is a thing I can forget, but never forgive. If you do it again I shall call you "aynor." Could you live happy with such a name . . . As to dancing, my dear, I never dance, unless I am allowed to do it in my own peculiar way. There is no use trying to describe it; it has to be seen to be believed. The last house I tried it in the floor broke through. But then, it was a poor sort of floor—the beams were only six inches thick, hardly worth calling beams at all; stone arches are much more sensible when any dancing, of my peculiar kind, is to be done. Did you ever see the Rhinoceros and the Hippopotamus at the Zoological Gardens trying to dance a minuet together? It is a touching sight. Give any message from me to Amy that you think will be most likely to surprise her, and believe me, your affectionate friend, Lewis Carroll.

Among the tributes to Lewis Carroll that is being recalled in the centenary year of his birth is that voiced by Dean Paget in a sermon preached just after his death, when he declared: "The brilliant, venturesome imagination, defying forecast with ever-fresh surprise; the sense of humor in its finest and most naive form, the power to touch with lightest hand the undercurrent of pathos in the midst of fun; the audacity of creative fancy, and the delicacy of insight—these are rare gifts; and surely they were his."

## AGRICULTURAL RELIEF

A policy that will amount to substantial relief to a number of landholders has been decided upon by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company in its announced intention to cancel interest on Western land contracts for 1931. As well, the offer is being extended to include 1932, "on the condition that the contract-holder pays his taxes and one full installment on his contract for this year. Further encouragement in the form of a bonus will be given to those who make payment on account of arrears of interest, the bonus to be in proportion to the payment made."

Those who are aware of the extent of Canadian Pacific land operations in the Prairie Provinces will understand the significance of the present relief, which is designed to offset, in part, depressed markets and crop failures. It is a definite gesture of tangible help to farmers, and, to quote Mr. W. C. Buckle, Saskatchewan's Minister of Agriculture, it is "worthy of all praise, a real contribution to the cause of agricultural stability."

The proposal that His Royal Highness, the Prince of Wales, should open the Imperial Conference at Ottawa is one of very high interest. That would be a guarantee, if one were needed, that the gathering would be inspired to accomplish the task to which it will set its hand. The gathering is to promote inter-Imperial trade through the medium of Empire preferences. The Prince's whole career shows that he believes salesmanship to be a very important task of government.

Despite the many difficulties besetting the marketing of various kinds of fruit in the Dominion the situation has presented no problem for the grape owners of Ontario. They have marketed all their crop through the medium of advertising. Based on the lesson of what has happened, Mr. E. B. Luke, chairman of the Canadian Horticultural Council, advocates national advertising to stimulate the sale of orchard and garden produce.

## *The Weather*

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., February 17, 1932.

SYNOPSIS

The barometer remains high on the Pacific Slope and fine weather continues over this Province. Moderate temperatures are reported in the Prairies, accompanied with light snowfalls.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

| | Snow | Rain | Min. | Max. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Victoria | -- | -- | 34 | 44 |
| Nanaimo | -- | .04 | 30 | 43 |
| Vancouver | -- | -- | 28 | 46 |
| Kamloops | -- | -- | 8 | 26 |
| Prince George | -- | -- | 24 | 42 |
| Estevan Point | -- | -- | 28 | 44 |
| Prince Rupert | -- | .01 | 36 | 42 |
| Atlin | -- | -- | 24 | 32 |
| Dawson | -- | -- | 4 | 16 |
| Seattle | -- | -- | 30 | 46 |
| Portland | -- | -- | 30 | 48 |
| San Francisco | -- | -- | 44 | 60 |
| Spokane | -- | -- | 20 | 32 |
| Los Angeles | -- | Trace | 42 | 58 |
| Penticton | -- | -- | 13 | 35 |
| Vernon | -- | -- | 5 | 25 |
| Grand Forks | -- | -- | 3b | 28 |
| Nelson | -- | -- | 8 | 30 |
| Kaslo | -- | -- | 11 | 29 |
| Cranbrook | -- | -- | 8b | 22 |
| Calgary | -- | -- | 6 | 38 |
| Edmonton | -- | -- | 10 | 38 |
| Swift Current | .10 | -- | 4b | 30 |
| Prince Albert | .20 | -- | 4b | 2 |
| Qu'Appelle | Trace | -- | 8b | 22 |
| Winnipeg | -- | -- | 18b | 12 |
| Tuesday— | | | | |
| Toronto | -- | -- | 32 | 45 |
| Ottawa | -- | -- | 18 | 40 |
| Montreal | -- | -- | 20 | 38 |
| Saint John | -- | -- | 8 | 30 |
| Halifax | -- | -- | 4 | 24 |

WEDNESDAY

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| Maximum | 44 |
| Minimum | 34 |
| Average | 39 |
| Minimum on the grass | 25 |

Sunshine, 6 hours 48 minutes.
Weather, fair.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.32; wind, N.E., 6 miles; fair.
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.28; wind, S.W., 6 miles; clear.
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.10; calm; clear.
Prince George—Barometer, 30.04; wind, W., 10 miles; clear.
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.42; wind, W., 4 miles; fair.
Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.32; wind, E., 4 miles; clear.
Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.28; wind, N., 4 miles; clear.
Portland—Barometer, 30.32; wind, N.W., 8 miles; clear.
Seattle—Barometer, 30.26; wind N., 6 miles; clear.
San Francisco—Barometer, 29.94; wind, W., 10 miles; clear

## Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

. . . be just and fear not.
Let all the ends thou aim'st at be thy country's,
Thy God's, and truth's.
—Shakespeare.

They were sitting in front of an ample fireplace, in which a cheerful fire was burning—not a home fire, for they were mostly bachelors, who knew nothing, and probably never will know anything, about the comforts of a home or the music in the voices of little children. They were discussing the perplexing problems of the times. The particular problem they were discussing at this time was the problem of unemployment, and when we took a place that was vacant in the circle were asked offhand how many unemployed there were in Great Britain at the present time.

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Persons of our profession are supposed to have special sources of information upon all subjects, and when we answered that according to sources of cabled information there were in round numbers about two million unemployed in Britain, there was a twinkle of scepticism in the eyes of the interrogator. Flourishing a copy of The London Times in our face, we were asked if we would be surprised if told on the best of authority that there were actually only about a hundred thousand unemployed persons in England. Then we were handed a copy of The Times and asked if we would print an editorial dealing with the subject. Space will not permit us to print the whole of the editorial article, but we shall try to reproduce the essence of it.

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The new study of the unemployment (the article says) of the twelve million insured workers in Great Britain, which the Ministry of Labor has made for the guidance of the Royal Commission on Unemployment Insurance, is, on the whole, reassuring. The inquiry was carried back as far as the end of 1930, and it therefore covered the earlier phases of the acute depression which is still with us. More unemployment was not accompanied by any essential change in the character of the employment. It is again shown, as earlier inquiries had made known, that the "standing army" of the unemployed is small. In this report its maximum size is confidently put at 100,000 men and 3,000 women. Whether the members of this "standing army" are fit subjects for unemployment insurance is one of the matters on which the commission will no doubt make a recommendation. The purpose of the report is simply to reveal the facts with statistical impartiality, and the first striking fact is the contrast between this "standing army" of a little over 1,000,000 and the common assumption that the weekly figures of unemployment have represented a "standing army" which during 1930 varied in size between one and a half and two and a half millions and during the last year was still larger. It is a slander to our industrial position to represent us as burdened with a deadweight of something like twenty per cent of unemployable people. The report says—and its authority is unimpeachable—that the number of those who have had no employment in the seven years that ended with 1930 was at least thirty times as great as the number in the "standing army" of the unemployed. That is to say, that in those seven years there were over three million insured people who were in constant employment.

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The above statement places the question of unemployment in Great Britain in a different light from that in which we at a distance are accustomed to looking at it. The balance of the article is quite as interesting, and we are sorry space will not permit of its reproduction. Anyone who can procure a copy of the paper should read it. But the assumption the gentlemen who sat before the fire drew from it is not absolutely justified. There is a difference between the "standing army" of British unemployed and the number of persons who are periodically unemployed. We assume that the "standing army" is composed of people who are unemployable, and we may assume that all or most of those who draw the dole are employable. Under the former government the dole system was abused, and the weekly statements issued by the statistical department gave a false impression of the British industrial situation. Under the new government those abuses are being corrected, and the weekly statements issued, like the report of the Ministry of Labor, throw a more cheerful light upon the situation. There seems to be no doubt that the actual number of unemployed in Great Britain is not even relatively as great as the number unemployed in the United States, Germany, or probably in most of the other countries of the world.

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A reader resident in Vancouver has sent us a copy of an editorial from another newspaper with a request for its publication. The article was printed in The Vancouver Sun, which does not illumine the world with the splendor of its rays in the morning, but bursts forth like a star in the evening. The Vancouver reader says he cannot understand the purport of the article, and wants to know whether we can tell him the meaning of it or what conclusions can be drawn from reading it. We shall pass the matters on to our intelligent readers and ask them to tell us, if they will or can, what they think about it.

## THE COLONIST IN LONDON

The Colonist may be procured at the International News Stand of Messrs. Selfridge & Co., Oxford Street

Here is the gem "of purest ray serene":

Almost every newspaper edition carries some new statement of policy from the great powers in regard to the military situation in China. Britain, United States, Italy, France and Germany have all stated their positions.

Canada is an autonomous Dominion. What observations, enquiries or statements have we made?

We ought to have a well-defined position and to make that position known.

Are we still hiding behind the skirts of England? If so, supposing tomorrow England takes exception to the attitude of China or Japan. Will we get a cable next day advising us that we are at war with China or Japan?

England has possessions in Shanghai and Hongkong. Canada has none. English concessionaires run dog races and horse races, brothels and gambling joints, and from time to time they have demanded that the British Government give them protection for this and that.

Canadians neither wish nor need to be drawn into trouble over the settlement of the claims that arise from the protection of British possessions in the Orient.

But how can we avoid needless entanglement if we, as an autonomous nation, do not firmly make our position known?

The time is going to come when there will be a conflict between British firms and Canadian firms for the trade of China and Japan and India. As it now stands, Canadians have little chance in India or in Hongkong, and Shanghai is about the same.

We have the opportunity to go into those countries with a clean slate. We have none of the profits of the last hundred years of trading as England has. But neither have we any of the accumulated hates and spites and jealousies. We have no territorial concessions. We neither need to trade on England's prestige nor to inherit any of England's sins.

With this situation in mind, Canada should have a definite policy on the Asiatic problem and not hesitate to make that policy known.

## *Tides at Victoria*

FEBRUARY, 1932

Time of tides (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February, 1932:

| Date | H. M. Time | Ft. H't | H. M. Time | Ft. H't | H. M. Time | Ft. H't | H. M. Time | Ft. H't |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | ..... | | 9:20 | 9.7 | ..... | | 17:26 | 1.8 |
| 2 | ..... | | 9:15 | 9.8 | ..... | | 18:20 | 1.3 |
| 3 | ..... | | 10:05 | 9.7 | ..... | | 19:15 | 1.1 |
| 4 | 5:40 | 9.2 | 7:25 | 9.1 | 10:56 | 9.9 | 19:56 | 1.1 |
| 5 | 5:42 | 9.0 | 8:20 | 9.7 | 11:50 | 9.3 | 20:35 | 1.2 |
| 6 | 5:50 | 8.7 | 9:03 | 9.2 | 12:43 | 8.9 | 21:12 | 1.8 |
| 7 | 5:55 | 8.5 | 9:45 | 7.6 | 12:31 | 8.5 | 21:45 | 2.3 |
| 8 | 6:04 | 8.2 | 10:20 | 6.9 | 14:25 | 7.8 | 22:19 | 2.9 |
| 9 | 6:09 | 8.1 | 11:20 | 6.4 | 15:20 | 7.3 | 22:46 | 3.8 |
| 10 | 6:15 | 8.3 | 12:14 | 6.0 | 16:21 | 6.7 | 23:10 | 4.6 |
| 11 | 6:20 | 8.3 | 12:09 | 5.4 | 17:47 | 9.2 | 22:20 | 5.3 |
| 12 | 6:46 | 8.4 | 14:05 | 4.8 | 20:52 | 5.9 | 23:18 | 5.8 |
| 13 | 7:05 | 8.5 | 15:00 | 4.2 | ..... | | ..... | |
| 14 | 7:12 | 9.7 | 15:59 | 3.9 | ..... | | ..... | |
| 15 | 7:10 | 9.9 | 16:50 | 3.7 | ..... | | ..... | |
| 16 | 7:10 | 9.0 | 17:39 | 2.8 | ..... | | ..... | |
| 17 | 7:40 | 9.2 | 18:32 | 2.1 | ..... | | ..... | |
| 18 | 9:22 | 9.3 | 19:02 | 1.5 | ..... | | ..... | |
| 19 | 10:45 | 9.2 | 19:40 | 1.4 | ..... | | ..... | |
| 20 | 9:31 | 8.3 | 7:21 | 6.2 | 11:50 | 9.1 | 20:10 | 1.3 |
| 21 | 4:35 | 8.1 | 8:15 | 7.5 | 12:50 | 9.0 | 20:50 | 1.8 |
| 22 | 4:46 | 8.0 | 9:04 | 8.8 | 13:50 | 8.7 | 21:21 | 2.3 |
| 23 | 4:51 | 8.0 | 9:54 | 9.9 | 14:52 | 9.2 | 22:10 | 2.0 |
| 24 | 5:06 | 8.1 | 10:50 | 9.0 | 16:08 | 7.6 | 22:45 | 4.0 |
| 25 | 5:32 | 8.5 | 11:47 | 4.3 | 17:40 | 7.1 | 23:18 | 5.2 |
| 26 | 5:44 | 8.8 | 12:46 | 2.4 | 19:55 | 6.7 | 23:40 | 6.2 |
| 27 | 9:04 | 9.6 | 13:50 | 2.7 | ..... | | ..... | |
| 28 | 6:25 | 9.1 | 14:55 | 2.3 | ..... | | ..... | |
| 29 | 9:45 | 9.3 | 16:00 | 1.9 | ..... | | ..... | |

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of low water.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt drydock at any tide, add 18.0 feet to the height of high water as above given.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Songhees drydock add 20 feet to the height of high water as above given.

## SUNRISE AND SUNSET

FEBRUARY, 1932

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February, 1932.

| Day | Sunrise | Sunset | Day | Sunrise | Sunset |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 7:44 | 5:10 | 16 | 7:19 | 5:25 |
| 2 | 7:42 | 5:11 | 17 | 7:17 | 5:35 |
| 3 | 7:41 | 5:13 | 18 | 7:16 | 5:39 |
| 4 | 7:39 | 5:15 | 19 | 7:14 | 5:39 |
| 5 | 7:37 | 5:17 | 20 | 7:12 | 5:41 |
| 6 | 7:36 | 5:18 | 21 | 7:11 | 5:42 |
| 7 | 7:34 | 5:20 | 22 | 7:09 | 5:44 |
| 8 | 7:32 | 5:22 | 23 | 7:07 | 5:46 |
| 9 | 7:31 | 5:24 | 24 | 7:05 | 5:47 |
| 10 | 7:29 | 5:26 | 25 | 7:02 | 5:49 |
| 11 | 7:27 | 5:27 | 26 | 7:01 | 5:51 |
| 12 | 7:29 | 5:29 | 27 | 6:59 | 5:53 |
| 13 | 7:24 | 5:31 | 28 | 6:57 | 5:55 |
| 14 | 7:22 | 5:32 | 29 | 6:55 | 5:57 |
| 15 | 7:21 | 5:34 | | | |

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

# CULBERTSON *on* CONTRACT

*by Ely Culbertson*

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## TWO BLUFFS THAT WORKED

I do not believe in the bluff bids which parade under the name of "psychic." I do not use them except in counter-attack against players who habitually resort to these tactics, for I have found in actual play that it is easier to bluff a player who is in the habit of bluffing himself than it is one who values his hand correctly and draws accurate inferences from the bids made by his partner.

However, in my recent match with Mr. Sidney S. Lenz and Mr. Oswald Jacoby, two bluff or psychic bids followed each other on succeeding hands and both worked.

Neither side was vulnerable when Mr. Lenz dealt this hand:

Mr. Lenz
♠ K 8 7 5 4
♡ 4
◇ 9 7 3 2
♣ A 8 3

Mr. Culbertson
♠ J 6 3 2
♡ A K 7
◇ A K J 10
♣ J 9

Mr. Lightner
♠ A 10 9
♡ J 10 8 5
◇ Q 6 4
♣ Q 7 5

Mr. Jacoby
♠ Q
♡ Q 9 6 2 2
◇ 8 5
♣ K 10 6 4 2

**The Bidding:**

(Figures after bids in table refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs.)

| North | East | South | West |
|---|---|---|---|
| Pass | Pass | 1♡(1) | Dbl. |
| 1♠ | 1NT | 2♣(2) | 2◇(3) |
| Pass | Pass(4) | Pass | |

1. A bluff bid, pure and simple. The hand contains little more than one counter-trick.

2. Continuing the bluff.

3. I thought my partner could now read Mr. Jacoby's bidding as bluffing and I wanted to keep the bidding as low as possible.

4. Mr. Lightner, usually adept at reading this type of bidding, fell into the trap.

I had an opportunity to recover lost ground on the very next hand which with its bidding was:

Mr. Lenz
♠ 8 7 4 2
♡ A J 7 5
◇ A J 3
♣ A 2

Mr. Culbertson
♠ J 9
♡ —
◇ Q 9 8 7 6 5 2
♣ Q J 10 4

Mr. Lightner
♠ K
♡ K Q 9 8 6 3 2
◇ 4
♣ 9 7 5 3

Mr. Jacoby
♠ A Q 10 6 5 3
♡ 10 4
◇ K 10
♣ K 8 6

**The Bidding:**

(Figures after bids in table refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs.)

| East | South | West | North |
|---|---|---|---|
| Pass | 1♠ | 1NT(1) | Dbl. |
| Pass | Pass | 2◇(2) | 4♣ |
| Pass | Pass(3) | Pass | |

1. This bid has as its basis an escape suit, a necessary condition to the making of a psychic bid.

2. Of course, playing the hand in no trump doubled is unthinkable. The loss at two diamonds doubled would be negligible.

3. Mr. Jacoby's pass of the four spade bid can only be explained on the ground that he had fallen into a psychic trap.

A diamond was opened and Mr. Jacoby took all thirteen tricks, as, in fact, he would have done against any opening.

## TODAY'S POINTER

The most effective way in which to use psychic bids is against those addicted to them, but always when the hand contains a safe escape.

# GOES TO HAPPY HUNTING GROUND

**Nanoose Bob, Reputed Oldest Indian in Canada, Dies at His Birthplace**

NANAIMO, Feb. 17.—At his home at Nanoose, on Tuesday, Nanoose Bob, reputed to be the oldest Indian of Canada, passed away at the grand old age of 105 years. He leaves a large family of sons and daughters by several wives, and many grandchildren, great and great-great-grandchildren living in different parts of the Island and Mainland.

He was highly respected by Indian tribes and his white neighbors, and until several years ago enjoyed the best of health. When past his hundred mark he built a boat in front of his cabin at Nanoose Bay. He was, in his youth, a famous hunter.

During an official visit by the Duke of Connaught to Vancouver Island in 1912, he presented Nanoose Bob with a hat, which he treasured very much.

He will be laid at rest on Thursday afternoon at the Indian Reservation, Nanoose Bay, where he was born.

## Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

### LAYING UP OF THE C.G.S. LILLOOET

Sir,—A great blow has been dealt to all ships calling at British Columbia harbors. The Dominion Government surveying ship Lillooet has been ordered laid up for the season 1932, the first time laid off since 1919, and the whole of the highly skilled crew are to be thrown out of employment. This action is claimed to be taken, by the department at Ottawa, in the name of economy, but in reality it is the greatest extravagance. True economy consists in getting essential work well done, that is to say, in getting full value for money spent. The survey crews under a clever and hard working chief have always given the very best value for the money expended. For proof, ask local ship operators who are seamen themselves. Last year the Lillooet, together with the three houseboats, were at work on the west coast of Vancouver Island, making the first modern surveys of approaches to Barkley and Clayoquot Sounds. Up to the present the only charts of the West Coast, excluding Quatsino Sound, are those made seventy years ago by Captain G. H. Richards, of H.M. Paddle Sloop Hecate in 1861, and published in London in 1863, with small corrections added during the long interval.

For more than twenty years urgent appeals have been made to Ottawa to have modern surveys made of the whole west coast of Vancouver Island. Last season much work was done in Barkley and Clayoquot Sounds and the adjacent rockbound coasts, but there were many days when the thick Summer fogs stopped all boat work. Many important channels were located, and the use of which will cut down the time required to proceed from one anchorage or wharf to another by large and small vessels. The off-shore work is necessarily slow as most of the submerged reefs have to be swept for by three small boats at a depth of thirty-six feet.

There is still a vast amount of sea surveying to be done, the iron bound and indented coast from Clayoquot to Quatsino Sounds including Estevan Peninsular, Nootka Sound, Esperanza Sound, Kyuquot Sound, Cape Cook and the wild uninhabited coast from thence up to Entrance Island.

As one who has traveled up and down the West Coast many times since 1912, first in the Tees, and afterwards in the Princess Maquinna, studying the pilotage and charts, I solemnly declare it is not safe for a ship to leave the course of the mail boat when entering any of the sounds, except Nootka. The two worst, Kyuquot and Esperanza Sounds, are difficult, and modern surveys are twenty years overdue for them. With my own eyes I have seen many miles of the West Coast with off-lying rocks upon which the ocean swell only breaks in rough weather and many hardly break at all.

In these times of reduced trade and profit, the masters of ships have orders from the owners to do almost anything to save time by cutting corners in their courses. This sometimes leads to a shipping disaster, loss of life and property. It is impossible to have the charts of British Columbia waters too carefully drawn, so as to give officers of His Majesty's Merchant Service every possible aid in completing each trip and passage in safety.

It naturally takes many years to train a first class hydrographic surveyor, as he can only learn by vast practice what to record and what to leave out. It is difficult work and the hours in the field are long, 7 a.m. until 6 p.m., being the usual daily time. Hence it is that only those surveyors whose hearts are in the sea work will stick to the service long enough to become first class surveyors.

It is in the interest of the marine underwriters, shipowners, families of the officers and men, shippers, passengers and traders of all sorts, that every ship arriving in or sailing out of these waters should complete the passage safely. Much is controlled by Governments, but the insurance rates of ships and cargo have never been so controlled.

The cost of operating the hydrographic survey in British Columbia waters for one year is less than a tenth of the value of the Princess Kathleen, and not more than a thirtieth of the value of the Empress of Japan. Further, the cost of keeping the Lillooet and the houseboats in commission for the usual seven or eight months is a very small sum in comparison with the enormous seaborn trade brought to and from the ports of Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster, Nanaimo, Port Alberni and Chemainus.

Ever since 1905 Canada alone has carried out the surveys in her own waters and published her own most excellent charts. But there is now so much said about Canada having grown up as a nation and exacting her rights and imposing duties, that one hates to see her ministers shirking one of the most accepted duties of a great maritime nation. This great international duty is that of carefully surveying her coasts and publishing the information for the use of all comers. Canada urges foreign countries to take her goods and ship their goods in exchange, but when the said foreign ships make the coast of Canada, the charts are found to be very old and not suitable for the fast steamers and the more accurate methods of modern navigation.

Therefore, I urge everyone, who desires to increase shipping in British Columbia waters and to reduce casualties as much as possible, to write to his member and urge him to have the necessary sum of money placed in the estimates for the Marine Department without delay.

F. V. LONGSTAFF,
Major, Retired.

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## The Rhyming Optimist

By Aline Michaelis

WHEN YOU CAME IN

When you came in my life's dim room,
It brightened like a place of gloom
When many candles leap to flame,
All else unchanged, yet naught the same!

Each corner once so dull, so dark,
Reflected then the living spark;
I saw the gleam, the glow of gold
Like daisy fields when buds unfold.

My life's dim room where shade had been
Throbbed, pulsed with bloom, when you came in!

## MOONRISE AND MOONSET

FEBRUARY, 1932

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February, 1932.

| Day | Rises | Sets |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | 6:06 a.m. | 11:51 a.m. |
| 2 | 6:17 a.m. | 11:42 p.m. |
| 3 | 6:17 a.m. | 1:48 p.m. |
| 4 | 7:01 a.m. | 2:50 p.m. |
| 5 | 7:32 a.m. | 4:14 p.m. |
| 6 | 7:59 a.m. | 5:29 p.m. |
| 7 | 8:17 a.m. | 6:41 p.m. |
| 8 | 8:32 a.m. | 7:50 p.m. |
| 9 | 8:46 a.m. | 8:58 p.m. |
| 10 | 8:59 a.m. | 10:04 p.m. |
| 11 | 9:12 a.m. | 11:11 p.m. |
| 12 | 9:26 a.m. | ..... |
| 13 | 9:45 a.m. | 0:19 a.m. |
| 14 | 10:08 a.m. | 1:28 a.m. |
| 15 | 10:39 a.m. | 2:28 a.m. |
| 16 | 11:19 a.m. | 3:46 a.m. |
| 17 | 12:13 p.m. | 4:47 a.m. |
| 18 | 1:20 p.m. | 5:39 a.m. |
| 19 | 2:29 p.m. | 6:19 a.m. |
| 20 | 4:02 p.m. | 6:49 a.m. |
| 21 | 5:27 p.m. | 7:13 a.m. |
| 22 | 6:52 p.m. | 7:32 a.m. |
| 23 | 8:19 p.m. | 7:51 a.m. |
| 24 | 9:41 p.m. | 8:07 a.m. |
| 25 | 11:07 p.m. | 8:24 a.m. |
| 26 | ..... | 8:40 a.m. |
| 27 | 0:32 a.m. | 8:18 a.m. |
| 28 | 1:58 a.m. | 9:50 a.m. |
| 29 | 3:11 a.m. | 10:27 a.m. |

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

Insurance Agent: Do you motor or fly?

Client: Neither—I am a pedestrian.

Agent: Sorry, but we can't insure you.

## FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of February 18, 1882)

Convalescent Home—There has recently been erected not far from the Royal Hospital, at Government expense, a substantial building. It is to be used as a convalescent home. In an endeavor to furnish the building, the members of H.M.S. Rocket will give a benefit performance in the Theatre Royal next Sunday.

Dangerously Ill—John Todd, Sr., who is more than ninety years of age and was in the employ of the Hudson's Bay Company for nearly seventy years, is lying dangerously ill in St. Joseph's Hospital. In the early days Mr. Todd was an executive councillor of Vancouver Island.

Another Applicant—Captain Clarke gives notice of an intention to apply to the Legislature of the Province for a charter for a railway line from Esquimalt to Nanaimo, and a grant of land to aid in defraying the cost of construction.

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## Parksville

Miss Leah Hirst, of Vancouver, was the recent guest of her mother, Mrs. Ann Hirst.

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Mrs. Eric Bernard has returned to her home in Parksville, accompanied by her infant daughter, Nadyne.

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Miss MacKenzie is visiting her home in New Westminster.

• • •

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Sprinkling have as their guests Mrs. and Miss Wood, of Burnaby.

• • •

Mrs. Gilbert, of Victoria, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. G. E. Bernard.

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Major D'C[illegible]t, of Vancouver, was the recent guest of his mother-in-law, Mrs. L. T. Davis.

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Misses Audrey, Pam and Pat Thwaites, accompanied by Miss Freda Park, have returned from Vancouver after taking part in the British Columbia badminton tournament.

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Mr. W. B. Cromble, of Victoria, recently visited Parksville.

# LIQUOR SALES SHOW DECLINE

### Costs of Control Operations in British Columbia at New Low Level

Liquor profits, following the general trend of all provincial revenues, declined $1,763,269 in the last full year of operations under the Liquor Control Board, Attorney-General Pooley reported to the Legislature yesterday in presenting the tenth annual report of the board and the profit and loss statement as at September 30, 1931.

Despite the serious depression existing during the fiscal year in question, and the downward revision of prices effected by the board at January 1, 1931, which meant a reduction of $73,310 alone, the total sales amounted to $14,735,422, a decrease by the sum shown from $16,498,711 for the year previous.

The stock in hand at March 31, 1931, amounted to $1,067,822, being a decrease of $305,707 under inventory figures of the previous year. This is considered satisfactory, due to the difficulty of estimating future trends on a declining market.

**LOCAL WINE POPULAR**

Sales of loganberry wine, made in British Columbia, and much of it on Vancouver Island, increased by $58,186 over the previous year, while demand was also marked for Australian light wines placed in the vendors' stores.

While its revenue declined, British Columbia continued to hold gains made in improvement of the general conditions under licensed operation. Forty-two licences made structural improvements to their premises during the year, and law enforcement was rigidly maintained at a cost of but 2 per cent of the net profit, compared to 5 per cent, the cost in Alberta, and 9.4 per cent, Manitoba's cost for the last figures available.

**LAW ENFORCEMENT**

The actual law enforcement costs in British Columbia for the period were $80,967, compared to $88,441 in Alberta, and $165,637 in Manitoba. British Columbia, at the same time, had a record of 4,158 convictions, or 695 per 100,000 of population, compared to 2,467 convictions in Alberta, 1,294 in Saskatchewan and 1,290 in Manitoba.

In September, 1930, the board cancelled all existing liquor warehouse licences, thus putting an end to what is described as a menace to law enforcement which had persisted since the inception of Government control in this Province.

Eighteen beer licences were suspended and one cancelled during the period. One club licence was suspended and eight club licences cancelled. Six veterans' club licences were suspended, for cause.

Beer sales were reported at $5,379,279 for the last complete year.

During the year, it is further reported, a number of vendors' stores were closed.

The average profit on the turnover of the board has risen from 25.4 per cent as in 1921 to 1924, and 26.4 per cent as in 1924 to 1929, to 27.5 per cent, while the cost of law enforcement has been reduced from $11,179 a month, the average in 1921 to 1924, to $3,600 monthly for the present operations of the board.

**SUBSTANTIAL SAVINGS**

Reduction in the stock carried at any one time from sums ranging up to $2,300,000 in former years, to between $1,000,000 and $1,200,000, is saving approximately $60,000 yearly in interest. The loss on shortages or breakages has been cut from $20,850 a year to $302 as a monthly average, or a saving of $17,250 a year. A saving of $14,357 a year has been effected in carload shipments, to secure lower freight rates in the distribution of stock to vendors' stores.

While not touched on in the report, the savings made by the board have reached a respectable total of more than $350,000 a year and include a saving of $5,000 a year on insurance on stock.

The largest single saving is also one that will be of continuing benefit to the Province, being the elimination of the increase of $1.50 per barrel paid by the former administration to the brewers as from April, 1924, and the abolition of which by the present regime represents an equivalent saving of $300,000 a year, or $25,000 each month.

British Columbia's total operating costs of liquor control are now figured at 6.49 per cent of the turnover, for one of the most sparsely settled provinces in Canada. This compares with 8.59 per cent in Manitoba, 9.39 per cent in Saskatchewan and 10.34 per cent in Alberta, which has nearly twice the population density of British Columbia.

## ACTIVE WORKER FOR Y.W.C.A. DIES HERE

There passed away at 840 Courtney Street, on Tuesday, February 16, after a lingering illness, Miss Susan Ryall, in her seventy-sixth year. The deceased was the only daughter of Thomas and Sarah Ryall, of Paris, Ontario, where she was born in 1856. For many years she was identified with Y.W.C.A. work in Montreal, Calgary, and Victoria, coming here eighteen years ago, as matron of the Y.W.C.A. Annex on Courtney Street.

She is survived by four brothers: Thomas McCheyne Ryall, of Kelowna; Henry Alfred Ryall, of St. Louis, Mo.; Herbert Ryall, of New Westminster, and Rev. Septimus Ryall, rector of St. Luke's Church at Cedar Hill.

The funeral service will be held at Christ Church Cathedral on Friday afternoon, at 3:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in St. Luke's Churchyard, Cedar Hill. Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company has charge of the funeral arrangements.

# Took Part in Search for Submarine

When Things Go Amiss in Davy Jones' Locker These Are the Boys Who Attend to It. This Crew Is Stationed at the Whale Island Naval Post Near Portsmouth, England, and Who Helped to Locate the Ill-Fated Submarine M-2 Which Went Down With All Hands.

# LARGE DEFICIT IS REPORTED

### Falling Off in Revenues Last Year Causes $4,800,000 Provincial Loss

Total expenditures for the fiscal year ending March 31 last were $29,099,964 and total revenue $24,280,703, leaving a deficit of $4,819,261, according to the annual financial report submitted by Hon. J. W. Jones, Minister of Finance, at the opening session of the Legislature yesterday afternoon.

Several of the larger sources of revenue failed to make the total anticipated in the estimates at the beginning of the year, while expenditures in several departments were heavier than had been expected.

**INCOME TAX HIGHER**

The most important exception in falling revenues was noted in the income tax, which had been expected to yield $5,000,000, but which exceeded this amount by $290,623.

There was a falling off in liquor profits of $559,457; a decline in automobile licences of $163,723, and, owing to the lessened demand for forest products, a total of $1,551,000 less in receipts by the Lands Department than had been expected. Gas tax was down by $246,715.

Unexpended balances were reported in respect of estimated expenditures on public debt, $206,230; by the Department of Agriculture, $35,000; Attorney-General's Department, $83,800; education, $71,000; finance, $68,600; lands, $82,000; mines, $20,800; Provincial Secretary, $179,000; public works, $514,000, and railways, $916.

The balance sheet shows a surplus of $39,718,997 of assets over liabilities as at March 31 last.

# WHEAT SUBSIDY CAUSE OF CLASH

### Motion in House Urges Bonus of One Dollar an Acre Seeded to Wheat

OTTAWA, Feb. 17 (CP).—A brisk clash between Robert Gardiner, Alberta United Farmers' leader in the House of Commons, and M. N. Campbell (Progressive, McKenzie), one of his supporters, featured today's debate on a resolution urging a bonus of $1 per acre seeded this year to wheat. The motion was sponsored by Robert MacKenzie (Liberal, Assiniboia).

Western farmers appreciated greatly the existing five cents a bushel bonus, Mr. Campbell claimed, and he deplored that a United Farmers' convention had denounced it. If the Government discontinued the subvention, the farmers would have their leaders to blame, he asserted.

Mr. Gardiner took issue with his supporter. The farmers who had received the five-cent bonus undoubtedly appreciated it, but the distribution of the money did not reach those whose crops had been destroyed either by hail or drought. They believed themselves entitled to some other consideration, and were favorable to a subvention such as suggested in the resolution.

## *Took Active Part In Agricultural Activities Here*

P. W. Anketell-Jones, whose sudden death at Chemainus was announced in yesterday's Colonist, was born in County Mayo, Ireland, in 1867. He served in H.M.S. Worcester and afterwards in the Hooghly pilot service at Calcutta. He retired on his marriage to Miss Catherine Bluett in 1889.

Mr. Anketell-Jones then farmed in County Galway for fifteen years, and was for five years in Montreux, Switzerland, before coming to Vancouver Island.

As an agriculturist he specialized in potatoes, fruits and field crops and exhibited successfully in both local and provincial exhibitions. For several years he acted as a provincial agricultural judge and served in that capacity at Spokane in 1930.

Mr. Anketell-Jones took an active interest in municipal affairs. He was councillor for North Cowichan in 1911, and reeve in 1912 and 1913. He served on the Chemainus Hospital Board.

The funeral will be on Friday morning, at 11:30 o'clock, with services at the Church of St. Michael and All Angels, Chemainus, Rev. E. R. Robathan officiating.

## *Fair Association Notified Annual Grant Is Withheld*

According to information received by the executive of the British Columbia Agricultural Association, from the Federal Department of Agriculture yesterday, the annual grant of $5,000 to the local association is being discontinued until financial conditions improve.

On receipt of the information the executive committee called a special meeting, and it was decided to communicate with D. B. Plunkett, M.P. for Victoria, in the hope that he may be able to have the grant reinstated for this year.

It is likely members of the committee will confer with the public works committee of the City Council to have that body co-operate with Mr. Plunkett.

## *Obituary*

CROOKES—The funeral of Mrs. Rose Crookes will take place this afternoon, proceeding from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home to St. Stephen's Church, Mount Newton Crossroad, where service will be held at 2 o'clock, Rev. Montague Bruce officiating. Interment will be made in the churchyard.

BURLEY — Many sympathizing friends were present at the funeral services held yesterday afternoon at the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home for Ronald Travers Burley. Rev. J. R. Rowell conducted an impressive service, during which the hymn, "Around the Throne of God in Heaven" was sung. Mrs. Dowell rendered as a solo, "Safe in the Arms of Jesus." An unusually large number of beautiful floral tributes were received. Harry Nancarrow and Herman Williams acted as pallbearers, and interment was made in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

DUTOT—The funeral service was conducted yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, for David Dutot, Rev. A. M. Acheson-Lyle officiating in the presence of relatives and friends. During the service two hymns were sung: "Rock of Ages" and "Abide With Me." Interment was made at Ross Bay Cemetery, the following acting as pallbearers: James Moss, Frank Partridge, G. H. Fuller, J. P. Dill, J. Whittle and A. R. Smart. Many beautiful flowers were received.

MITCHELL—A large number of friends were present at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon, when Rev. O. L. Jull conducted the funeral service for Luella Mitchell, whose death occurred on Monday. A great many beautiful flowers were received, which covered the casket and hearse. Interment was made at Royal Oak Burial Park, the following acting as pallbearers: W. Peddie, T. Currie, E. Groutage, R. Myles, R. Keir and O. Williams.

# ART BELONGS TO ALL LIFE

### Dean C. S. Quainton Addresses Musical Arts Society

"Art is an expression of beauty which we should seek to attach to all forms of life, from the building of a garage to the making of a chair or the decoration of our ordinary utensils," said Dean C. S. Quainton in the "Few Thoughts on Culture, Art and Life," which he expressed at the meeting of the Musical Arts Society yesterday afternoon at the Shrine Auditorium.

Culture had, he recalled, suffered a temporary stigma during the war, owing to the association of the word with the German "Kultur." Dean Quainton quoted Maeterlinck as having said that there were in all people four shadowy personalities: the artist who sought beauty, the student who sought knowledge, the worker who desired to make something, and the saint who sought an end which transcended himself.

**PICTORIAL ART**

In his references to pictorial art the speaker commented that much of that in the present day was sacrificed to an unscrupulous commercialism, which thrived on a perverted public taste. Billboard art contained much that was highly artistic, while other posters were "staring monstrosities." Beauty was one of the absolute values and should not be regarded as just an addendum or "frill," but rather as something belonging to everyday life.

To illustrate this last point Dean Quainton recalled how the great portrait painter, Romney, had dissociated ethics in art from ethics in life, deserting his little provincial wife during the years of his success in London, and returning to her only in his old age when he found need for her tender nursing and care. Hers, in this case, was the true beauty of soul, expressed in her loving spirit of forgiveness.

**CONFLICTING CLAIMS**

"There are rival and apparently conflicting claims of self-sacrifice, culture and art which we must try and reconcile," said the speaker.

Art had made noticeable strides in the Western hemisphere in recent years, particularly in its architectural form. The tradition of pioneering times, when there was no leisure for a study of art, was probably responsible for its tardy expression on this continent. In this country, men, busy making money, left the pursuit of art chiefly to their wives, as the cartoonist of "Bringing Up Father" frequently testified to in his drawings.

**IN COMMON THINGS**

"Why should not domestic utensils be artistic; our riversides, our water frontages, our billboards?" asked the speaker, who criticized the unsightly display of bill posters which greeted the eye and spoiled the natural beauty of the trip through Plumper's Pass. Art should be a great unifier, insisting on three cardinal principals: love of truth, love of beauty and love of goodness.

The afternoon's pleasure was enhanced by the charming solos sung by Mrs. W. H. Wilson. Accompanied very beautifully by Miss Eileen Dumbleton she sang "My Mother Bids Me Bind My Hair," "My Heart Is Calling," "Songs of the Hebrides" and "Will Ye Gang to the Hielands."

## EIGHT FIREMEN HURT IN FIVE-HOUR FIGHT

DENVER, Feb. 17 (AP).—A fire that nearly destroyed the Barnett Building, injured eight firemen and drove scores of guests from nearby rooming places, was brought under control today after twenty-one fire companies fought the blaze for five hours.

The building is located in the heart of the oldest business district in Denver. The damage to the building, which houses several business firms, was about $200,000.

Five firemen on the top floor of the building were burned about the face and hands when accumulated gases exploded. Three other firemen were slightly burned while directing hose lines within the structure.

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Summary of Schedule of Victoria and Other Pacific Coast Stations

**CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (476.5m)**

8:00 a.m.—"Good Morning."
8:15 a.m.—Timely Topics, Dr. Clem Davies.
8:30 a.m.—Request programme.
10:15 p.m.—Shopping with Susette.
10:30 a.m.—Request music.
11:30 a.m.—Frank Tupman, tenor.
11:45 a.m.—Request music.
12:00 noon—Melody Time.
12:15 p.m.—World Book Man.
12:20 p.m.—Musical Miniature.
6:00 p.m.—Modern Melodies.
6:30 p.m.—Sunset Time.
7:15 p.m.—Seiberling Singers.
7:30 p.m.—Moments Musical.
7:45 p.m.—A. H. Hundleby.

**KOMO, Seattle (920k)**

9:15 p.m.—Sperry Smiles.
9:30 p.m.—Melody Man.
9:45 p.m.—Orchestra.
10:00 p.m.—News Flashes
10:15 p.m.—Success Reporter.
10:20 p.m.—Minstrels.
11:30 p.m.—Globe Trotter.
11:30 p.m.—Dance orchestra.
12:00 midnight—Organ recital.

**KJR, Seattle (970k)**

9:00 p.m.—Hotel Palace Vagabonds.
9:30 p.m.—Earl Burnett's Orchestra.
10:00 p.m.—Vic Meyers' Orchestra.
11:00 p.m.—Norman's San Franciscans.
11:30 p.m.—Organ Concert.

**N.B.C.**

9:15 a.m.—Beautiful Thoughts.
9:45 a.m.—Beatrice Mable, beauty talk.
10:00 a.m.—Woman's Magazine of the Air
11:00 a.m.—Standard School Broadcast.
11:45 a.m.—Piano Moods.
12:00 noon—Women and finance.
12:15 p.m.—Western Farm and Home hour
1:00 p.m.—Luncheon Report.
1:15 p.m.—Gems of Melody.
1:45 p.m.—Moments in Science.
3:00 p.m.—Matinee.
3:00 p.m.—Rose Room Orchestra.
3:15 p.m.—Peter Van Steeden and his orchestra.
3:25 p.m.—John B. Kennedy.
3:30 p.m.—Peter Van Steeden and his orchestra.
3:45 p.m.—Musical Moments.
4:00 p.m.—News service.
4:15 p.m.—The World Today.
4:30 p.m.—News Service.
4:45 p.m.—Famous Fallacies of Business.
5:00 p.m.—Rudy Vallee.
6:00 p.m.—Dramatic Musicale.
8:30 p.m.—Ensemble.
7:00 p.m.—Dance Orchestra.
8:00 p.m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
8:15 p.m.—Standard Symphony hour.
9:15 p.m.—Sperry Smiles.
9:30 p.m.—Postoffice.
9:45 p.m.—Orchestra.
10:00 p.m.—Drama hour.
10:00 p.m.—News.
10:30 p.m.—Hill Billies.
11:00 p.m.—Lofner-Harris Hotel St. Francis dance orchestra.
12:00 to 12:30 a.m.—N.B.C. Organ Recital.

**C.B.S.**

9:30 a.m.—Columbia Revue.
10:15 a.m.—Columbia Farm Community Network Programme.
11:00 a.m.—The Singing Vagabond.
11:15 a.m.—Salon Orchestra.
11:30 a.m.—School of the Air.
12:00 noon—La Forge Berumen.
12:30 p.m.—Miriam Ray.
1:00 p.m.—Navy Band.
1:30 p.m.—Hotel Taft Orchestra.
2:00 p.m.—Ashbury Park Orchestra.
2:45 p.m.—"Meet the Artist."
3:00 p.m.—Frank Ross.
4:00 p.m.—Orchestra.
4:15 p.m.—Red Nichols' Orchestra.
4:30 p.m.—Between Bookends.
5:00 p.m.—Comedy.
5:30 p.m.—Quiet Harmonies.
6:00 p.m.—Orchestra.
7:00 p.m.—Orchestra.
7:30 p.m.—Opera Miniatures.
7:45 p.m.—Myrl and Marge.
8:00 p.m.—Bing Crosby.
8:15 p.m.—Jack Miller.
8:45 p.m.—Raldo Round-up.
9:00 p.m.—Surprise programme.

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## What Today Means

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If February 18 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 10 a.m. to 11:15 a.m., from 4 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., and from 9 p.m. to 10:15 p.m. The danger periods are from 7:40 to 9 a.m. and from 2 p.m. to 3:20 p.m.

Astrological influences on February 18 will be of a depressing nature, and your spirits will probably be at zero. It will be difficult to instill any enthusiasm into your work, and those who depend upon tongue or pen for their income will be lacking in inspiration on this date.

The child born on this February 18 will have a "make-up" lacking in sentiment or music, but will have a good mind, and a love for work. Its school records should be of high grade, both for conduct and scholarship. It will be affectionate, but will never make a "fuss" over any one.

Your horoscopical picture, if born February 18, does not reveal many highlights of your life as being vested with many thrills. Your joys and your griefs, your successes and your failures will all be brought about through the usual and controlling factors which mould the life of every human being—work, friends, family and religion. Out of these factors, work and family may be picked out as the important interests in your life; one or the other is usually uppermost in your mind. You will probably go very little into society, and you are not of the type to be easily lionized. Your aims are very modest, and you are rather smugly bourgeois. You belong to the ranks of "mainstreeters." You are satisfied with self and your existence.

February 18 women are very effeminate, and belong within the so-called woman's sphere — the home. It is easy for you to practice the feminine art of angling, especially with those of the opposite sex. You would make an unselfish mother as far as your own efforts go, but selfish where the world is concerned. You avoid open rupture or conflict, and are inclined to swallow your grievances. It takes a long time for you to get over a hurt, if ever.

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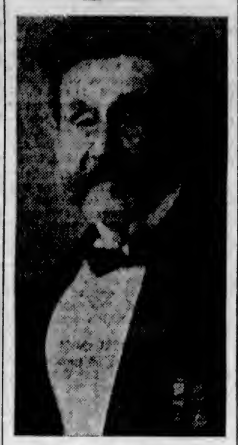
# FORMER DAYS ARE RECALLED

## G. B. Martin, Pioneer of Provincial Gov't, Misses Session Opening



G. B. MARTIN

For the first time in many years, G. B. Martin, aged ninety, who was a member of the British Columbia Legislature for twenty years, was unable to witness the ceremonial opening of the fourth session of the Seventeenth Legislature yesterday.

Illness confined him to his home, but friends called upon him during the evening and described the colorful pageant that marked the opening.

Mr. Martin is a pioneer of this province, and for sixteen years was a private member of the House, representing Yale. For four years he was a minister of the cabinet, being chief commissioner of lands and works. He was first elected to Parliament in 1882, and was never defeated.

It was during his membership in the Legislature that the present magnificent Capitol was built. Much against his wish, he said, he had to vote against the erection of a new building, for his constituency had given him a mandate to oppose the project.

# Governor to Be Canadian Club Guest

Hon. J. W. Fordham Johnson, Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, will be the guest and speaker of the members of the Men's Canadian Club at its annual meeting to be held in the Empress Hotel on Monday, February 29, at 6:30 o'clock, according to an announcement by Frank J. Sehl, secretary, yesterday.

Reports of 1931 activities will be submitted by W. H. M. Haldane, retiring president, and other officers of the organization, and the business will be concluded with the election of 1932 officials.

Members of the nominating committee have been appointed by the executive and are now engaged in drawing up the list of new officers for the approval of the annual meeting, on which days the nominations will close.

## Announcements

**Remember** all the time you are using chemicals or pumice stone to "fix" your face, surely and steadily all the time the condition is growing worse. To assure yourself of the truth of this statement, for two weeks cease your efforts to overcome your trouble. Have you the courage? It is so very satisfactory to be convinced oneself of a truth. Miss Hanman, 503 Sayward Bldg. Phone G 7642.

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**David Spencer Choir Concert**—in aid of the Victorian Order of Nurses. Guest artist, Margaret Fewster, operatic contralto. Shrine Auditorium, Friday, February 19, 8:15 p.m. Tickets 50c.

**Believe It or Not,** the Beehive is about the best place in the city for English goods—New Wools, 2 oz. for 25c; Men's All-Wool Socks, 2 for 95c; Silk and Wool Stockings, 2 for 85c.

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**Sessional Ball,** Empress Hotel, Friday, February 19, 9 till 1. Dress, informal. Tickets, $1, at Conservative rooms, Campbell Building, Empress Hotel, Army and Navy Clothing Store, or phone E 9788.

**Women's Canadian Club,** Empress Hotel, Monday, February 22, Dr. F. Wesley Bready, "Where Now Stands England." Nahdin Young, flautist.

**Sale of Home Cooking,** Spencer's basement, Saturday, October 20, Victoria Subdivision Catholic Women's League.

**Firth Brothers,** No-Appointment Hairdressers, new location is 635 Fort Street, opposite The Times.

# City & District

**Fined for Speeding**—Philip Neal was fined $15 by Police Magistrate George Jay in the city police court yesterday morning when he was found guilty of driving a motorcycle to the common danger on Douglas Street.

**Hold Annual Meeting**—The annual meeting of the Children's Aid will be held at the Home, 1234 Pandora Avenue, this evening at 8:15 o'clock. Anyone interested in the work of the Home is cordially invited.

**Railway Officials Here**—George A. McNicholl, general passenger agent of the C.N.R., with headquarters in Vancouver, arrived from Seattle yesterday and is at the Empress Hotel. He is accompanied by Bruce Boreham, publicity representative of the C.N.R. at Vancouver.

**Knox Young People**—The weekly meeting of the Nox Presbyterian Young People's Society was held last night with a good attendance. A short agenda of business was quickly disposed of, and refreshments were served following the meeting. A choir practice was held after the business session.

**Awarded Damages**—R. L. Challoner was awarded $16.05 in damages by a decision given yesterday in County Court by Judge Peter S. Lampman. Mr. Challoner entered action against Lee Berk for damages arising out of an automobile collision. He was also given costs in the action.

**Appointed to Committees**—D. B. Plunkett, M.P., for Victoria, will serve on three of the select standing committees of the House of Commons during the present session at Ottawa. The committees to which he has been appointed are, standing orders, marine and fisheries, mines, forests and waters.

**Making Alterations**—James Barf, city building inspector, yesterday issued a building permit to the Victoria Cold Storage & Terminal Warehouse, Ltd., to erect an asphalt and cork insulating partition at the company's plant at Ogden Point. The work will cost approximately $2,700 and the work is to be done by Parfitt Bros., contractors.

**Pipers Honor Officer**—"The Sixteenth's Welcome to Colonel Howe," a special number composed by Pipe Major A. Wallace, of the pipe band of the Canadian Scottish Regiment, was played for the first time yesterday during the official ceremonies at the Legislative Buildings. The piece was composed as a tribute to Hon. S. L. Howe, who is honorary colonel of the 1st Battalion of the regiment.

**To Repair Clock**—The big clock at the City Hall will be stopped for two hours on Friday afternoon while workmen are engaged in making minor repairs to the mechanism. It will be the first time in two years that the clock has received an overhauling. In order to make the necessary repairs, a girder, carrying the 2,200-pound weights, will have to be realigned.

**Rotary Programme** — Rotarian Herbert J. Pendray will address the weekly luncheon session of the Rotary Club today at 12:10 p.m. in the Empress Hotel, on his recent trip to the Old Country. A number of Victoria Rotarians will motor to Duncan to attend a meeting of the Duncan Club this evening, when the chief speaker will be Charles H. French.

**To Discuss Movies**—Alderman W. D. Todd, chairman of the business and trade development committee of the City Council, will confer with Major C. Fairbanks Smith, builder of the $7,000,000 R-K-O plant at Hollywood, this morning to obtain his views concerning the possibility of making motion pictures in Victoria. Major Smith is spending a holiday in the Capital City and has, at different times, referred to the suitability of Victoria for the location of a studio.

**Dentists Hear Talk**—A most helpful and informative address on "Anaesthetic Preparations and Their Application in Individual Cases," was given by Dr. Gordon Kenning at the monthly dinner meeting of the Victoria Dental Society in the Pacific Club recently. Dr. Arthur Webster, presided, and the following members attended: Drs. E. W. Hetherington, S. Youlden, A. G. Lough, S. F. Miles, Charles Mess, E. Fowles, R. Mitchell, A. McInnes, W. J. Gibson, H. Henderson, A. Fraser, J. C. Foote, W. Gunning, W. Fraser, R. F. Verrinder, W. Bryce, H. Clark and W. Russell.

## VALENTINE TEA HELD

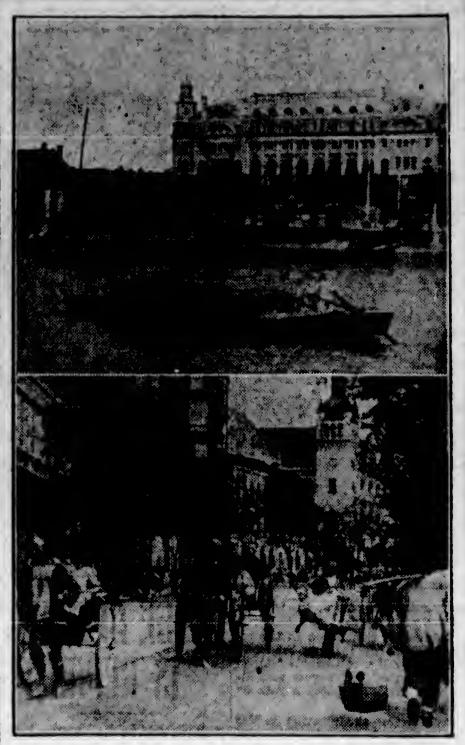
A successful Valentine tea was held on Monday, at the home of Mrs. Groutage, Wilkinson Road. The rooms were suitably decorated for St. Valentine, where the many guests were welcomed during the afternoon. A table of miscellaneous articles did a thriving business. Recitations were given by Mrs. Youell, Mrs. Hemsley and Miss Muriel Rodman, and a guessing contest was won by Miss Rodman. On behalf of the Strawberry Vale Women's Institute the president, Mrs. Harper, expressed to Mrs. Groutage its sincere appreciation for the use of her home.

## REGIMENTAL DANCE

A most enjoyable dance was held in the mess of the Canadian Scottish Regiment last evening, nearly two hundred guests attending. Colonel and Mrs. Brooke Stephenson were among the officers present and welcomed the guests upon their arrival. Dancing continued from 8 until 2 o'clock and supper was served during the evening. In charge of the dance arrangements were Lance-Corporal W. Allison, Private L. Dent, Lance-Corporals Hutcheson, S. Crossley, R. Healy, H. Bjorn, J. Harvey, Privates R. Cragg, G. Burthmur, Griffiths W. Outhiucelte, J. C. Chambers, W. Overton, R. Mulrhead and H. McKenzie.

Slow bridge-player — "I love bridge. I could play in my sleep."
"But there is no need to make us do it."—Allt for Alla, Stockholm.

# Two Views in Shanghai



TWO pictures of parts of Shanghai where the Japanese and Chinese have clashed. Top: A view of the Astor House from the river. This building was under gunfire last week. Below: A scene on the Bund, the main promenade at Shanghai, along which are the majority of the fine buildings erected by British and United States capital.

# News and Views of Our Visitors

A guest at the Dominion Hotel is Thomas Uphill, Labor member for Fernie, who is in the city to attend the session of the British Columbia Legislature. He spent two days in Vancouver on his way here and visited several institutions and unions on the Mainland.

Fernie, at present, is suffering from the danger of floods, the snowfall there having been exceptionally heavy this year. Two schools and a number of homes are threatened, Mr. Uphill stated.

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Captain and Mrs. Tindall-Bell have arrived at the Empress Hotel from San Jose de Guatemala. They are at present on a visit to some friends at Cowichan Lake, and after a short stay with them will travel East via Vancouver to Montreal, back from Montreal to Vancouver, and then either by motor or by water to San Francisco, from which port they will embark for their home in Central America. San Jose is on the coast, while the town of Guatemala is some way inland.

Captain and Mrs. Tindall-Bell paid a visit to this city about two years ago.

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E. S. Duggan and G. B. Heintzman, both from Toronto, are staying at the Empress Hotel. They have come West on a pleasure trip combined with golf, and are taking part in the C.P.R. tournament. Both of them, however, were reticent as to their chances of collecting prizes. Mr. Heintzman is well acquainted with the Colwood course, and Mr. Duggan has also played there before.

Both Mr. Duggan and Mr. Heintzman are associated with business firms in the East, the former being in the motor trade and the latter being vice-president of the Heintzman piano firm, and making his trip West coincident with visits to various agencies of his firm.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. Maddin, of Seattle, are in the city for a short pleasure trip. They expect to return home on Friday. This is their first visit to the city and they hope to get well acquainted with its purlieus during the short time at their disposal.

# HIGHER FEDERAL TAXES PREDICTED

**Increases in Sales and Corporation Levies Expected in New Budget**

By CHARLES LYNCH

OTTAWA, Feb. 17 (CDN). — Sources close to the Government today predicted that Minister of Finance E. N. Rhodes would present his first budget to Parliament on or about March 10, that the sales tax would be increased from 4 to 6 per cent, that the corporation tax would be boosted to 12½ per cent, and that exemption from income tax would be reduced $500.

Additional revenue of $20,000,000 in the coming year would be gained by the increase in the sales tax and about $7,000,000 from the boost in the corporation tax. The $500 exemption decrease in small incomes would bring in $6,000,000. Married men are now exempt up to $3,000 and single men and women up to $2,000.

Owing to the approaching Imperial Economic Conference, there will be few changes in the tariff, it was said.

## Somenos

A very enjoyable evening was spent recently at the Somenos Schoolhouse, when Mrs. McArthur and Mr. and Mrs. A. Peterson entertained about fifty friends at an informal dance.

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Mrs. Best is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Highsted, Herd Road. Mrs. Best is making a very satisfactory recovery from an operation at Duncan Hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. Baxter, of Langford, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hyde, Herd Road.


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## It's Not Too Late At "58"

Just because you have reached the fateful fifties and are worried, nervous, and have lost the power, vitality, ambition and desires of youthful days, do not think you must stay in this condition, or that youth has gone forever. Be strong, well, vigorous again. Enjoy the energy, do the duties, pursue the pleasures of your early thirties. It's not too late. Old age is not a question of years, but of depleted Nerve Force. Yours is running low. This very moment millions of minute impoverished nerve cells in your body are screaming for help—a help that you and only you can quickly give them. Leading druggists throughout the Dominion are today offering a full twenty days' treatment of Erbac—double strength—the great Canadian Nerve Force Builder—on a positive guarantee that its use must give you a tremendous increase in mental and bodily vigor and Nerve Force or money back. Legions of folks past 40 are making this test. There is no risk. Why don't you try it too? (Advt.)


## Just Roamin' Around

By TWO ROVERS

After a nap, thinkin's a snap!

So we two rovers discovered, for, obedient to the guard, we slept like—any other two rovers in the clink.

And I "dreamt that I dwelt in marble halls" and Rover dreamt (so he tells me) that we escaped from prison walls, but the silly ass forgot to dream how!

Gee! I certainly hope we get out before the next rehearsal of the Victoria Operatic Society's delightful principals (with the accent on the "palls") and pretty chorus, at Madame Turcznowicz's! If for no other reason than that "The Bohemian Girl" intrigues both Rover and myself.

With nothing else to engage our roamin' thoughts, our minds went back to dim and distant student days in Leipzig, where one rover spent the night in the clink, on two occasions, for his participation in real student pranks; and, with that poignant memory, there came to us recollections, sweet recollections, of a young and very beautiful Prussian gypsy dancer, whose name was Anemone and whose full-length portrait was in those days, and may be yet, hung on the ancestral walls of a noble castle in Greitz, then a capital city of the smallest petty Princedom in all Germany.

And, with that haunting memory, came the thought of the many really wonderful children, dancers of repute, in this city of remarkable juvenile talent.

VICTORIA'S YOUNG ARTISTS

Deplore, as we will, the dearth of dollars (whatever they are) or the baneful lack of business (whatever that is), or the stupid silence of Saanich Senators (whatever they be), of one thing we can be sure of, proud of, and boastful of, and that is the large number of Victorian youngsters who have, do and will make a stir in the civic world by their proficiency and efficiency in the noble art of Terphsicore.

Just as Phyllis Addison and her brother Joe danced their way into our hearts at Christmas time, with their excellent adagio dance in the pantomime of "Sleeping Beauty" (Rover hasn't gotten over it, yet), so did little Miriam Schwabe, whose total Summers are no more than the days of a week, danced her way right into the hearts of the large audience at the Crystal Garden only a few nights ago.

And there are a host of others we could mention, were there time!

When little Miriam dances, our delight

Unbounded is, and rapt'rous joy
we find!
Sweet Fairies, long forgotten,
come to mind
And seem to issue forth into the
night
To dance their dances with her, by
the light
Of silv'ry moonbeams, star rays
intertwined!
As sweet as she can be, so is she
kind
And gives us still more dances,
Dainty mite!

What better may we give our little
friend,
Who is so generous with her perfect
art;
Who woos us with her very
sweetest smile;
Than—to her tiny ladyship extend,
Who dances her skilled way into
each heart,
Our love sincere, and warmest
praise, the while!

## Sixth Birthday Of Kinsmen Club To Be Observed

Members of the Victoria Kiwanis Club will gather in the Empress Hotel at 6:15 o'clock tonight to celebrate the sixth birthday of the club at a supper meeting. An extensive programme has been arranged and an enjoyable and interesting time is promised those who attend.

Students of the Clough Dancing School will give a number of dances and entertainment features, while members of the club will also contribute various items.

The meeting will be a reunion for many of those who will attend, as a number of former members of the club, who left in good standing, have been invited to be present.

Through the courtesy of the Empress Hotel management, a large birthday cake will adorn the head table, with decorations significant of the occasion.

"Why do you continue working, old man? You have enough on which to live comfortably."
"My wife wants to live stylishly."


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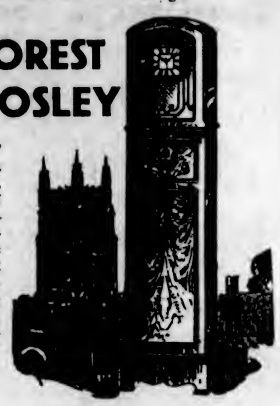

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# MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

## SHIP'S SIDE TORN BY ICE

### Baychimo Evidently Went to Bottom When Pack Opened Up

By CAPTAIN SYDNEY A. CORNWALL
Master of Fur-Trading Ship Baychimo.

FAIRBANKS, Feb. 17.—"When the passengers and others from the ship left on the last plane last Fall for Nome we became resigned to our fate and decided we had a long Winter before us on the ice-clogged Arctic coast. Anyway, we were too late to get the Baychimo out of the icefields, and some of us had to stay to guard it. We were certainly ready to leave the country when the first planes arrived at Sea Horse Island (near Wainwright) a few days ago. It required several trips for the two planes, carrying three of us at a time, to bring all seventeen of the crew out to Kotzebue. Three of us were flown here yesterday from Kotzebue. The other fourteen hope to arrive on time to board next Monday's southbound train.

"We were well supplied with clothing and provisions when we settled down on the coast last Fall. We built a house from material taken from the ship, and each of us had a job, such as banking the house with snow to keep in the warmth, making sleds and hauling ice three miles for drinking water.

**SHIP LOCKED IN ICE**

"The Baychimo was locked in the ice a quarter of a mile from our house. Daily trips were made to her to keep her propeller free of ice. During those first few weeks the temperature dropped as low as 60 below, and usually was 10 to 20 degrees below. On December 25, Christmas Day, the temperature rose from 60 below to 10 above in a single night. The wind started blowing from the southwest so you couldn't see your hand in front of your face. I had gone to Wainwright on ship's business, but I was told later our house vibrated constantly, and it was feared it would collapse in the terrific gale.

"At noon, December 27, the gale abated somewhat. The men looked out from their shack, but the ship had vanished. The engineer, Murchie, started mushing to Wainwright to notify me. It took him one and a half days to make the twenty-two-mile trip. He was caught in a gale the first night and built an igloo to protect himself, but the intensity of the gale drove him out. He started mushing again to keep from freezing to death. When he arrived at Wainwright I came at full speed to the camp, where we might get in communication with the outside world. Then J. Somers, chief officer, and A. V. Kively, second officer, conducted a search for the ship over the rough, treacherous ice off shore, but without success.

**LONG GAP IN SIDE**

"I traveled to Point Barrow, searching the shore line, but with no better luck. While at Barrow I learned the ship had finally been located, and the furs salvaged by C. D. Morris, with the assistance of natives. I started for camp, but was driven back to Barrow by a gale and had to wait three days. When I arrived our ship had disappeared for the second time. Those who saw her said she was twisted like putty and had a long gap in the side, which meant she would sink immediately in open water.

"Storms since then have certainly carried her into some open lead and sunk her. Those aviators flying north to search for the Baychimo are going to be disappointed. Even if she were found, there is nothing aboard her now worth salvaging."

## DUE HERE TONIGHT FROM COAST PORTS

From California ports, the Pacific Steamship Company's coastal liner, Ss. Emma Alexander, is due alongside Rithet Piers tonight at 10 o'clock, with passengers and cargo for the port. After disembarking the travelers and discharging the cargo, the Emma Alexander will get away for Seattle at midnight.

## SPRING AND SUMMER SCHEDULES RELEASED

Effective April 18, Canadian National Steamships will commence their twice-a-week schedule of sailings between Vancouver, Prince Rupert, Anyox and Stewart, the service to be taken care of by the steamers Prince Rupert and Prince George. Under this schedule, the Prince George will leave Vancouver each Monday, going as far as Anyox, arriving back in Vancouver on Saturday. The Prince Rupert will leave Vancouver on Thursday of each week, arriving at Stewart on Sunday mornings and returning to Vancouver each Tuesday.

The Summer service of the Canadian National Steamships will come into effect in June and will provide three weekly sailings between Vancouver and Prince Rupert and two weekly sailings to Alaska. The schedules will be much the same as last year, with the exception that the Ss. Prince Charles will not be operated. The service will be carried out by the steamers Prince Henry, Prince Rupert and Prince George.

The Ss. Prince John will operate on a schedule throughout the year similar to the present one from Vancouver to the Queen Chalotte Islands and Prince Rupert.

## LAND FIRST HALIBUT

JUNEAU, Feb. 17 (AP).—Believed to be the first halibut landed at any Pacific Coast port since the 1932 season opened, 1,200 pounds of the fish sold here today for prices ranging from five cents to ten cents a pound. The vessel Tongass unloaded the catch.

**THAT WORD "COCKNEY"**

A reader asks for the origin of the word "cockney," with which we are familiar in its common reference to the uneducated Londoner with the speech characterized by the dropped "h" of his class.

We have this from the old English "cockney," which meant a spoiled child or pampered person, and which is regarded by authorities as almost certainly to have been originally "cock's eys" (to the Middle English for egg was "ey"). This refers to a small, imperfect egg.

In its significance of "a pampered—an inadequate—person" the word was originally applied to the Londoner by country people somewhat as city people call those from the country "greenhorn."

We have a recorded use of the term as early as 1592 by the author Nash, as follows: "A young heir or cockney who is his mother's darling." And Shakespeare used it so: "This great lubber, the world, will prove a cockney."

A London scullery-maid now plays in a jazz band. From sink occupation to syncopation!

## *No International Significance Attached to Matter*

OTTAWA, Feb. 17 (CP).—No "international significance" is attached to the cancellation of mails for the Japanese steamship Hiye Maru, Postoffice authorities declared today, commenting on a dispatch from Vancouver that the vessel would sail for Yokohama on February 25 without any Canadian mail matter. It was purely a question of economy, officials said, and of facilitating mailing.

The Empress of Asia sails from Vancouver two days after the Hiye Maru and reaches Yokohama on March 10, while the Japanese ship arrives on March 9. By sending all the mails via the Empress, the Postoffice gets two days' extra mailing. Since the Empress operates under a Government mail subsidy and the Japanese ship has no subsidy, the Government is spared the expense of paying the Japanese vessel for the service.

## CHEMAINUS SHIPPING

CHEMAINUS, Feb. 16.—Shipping entering and clearing the port of Chemainus during the week ending February 15, included the Ss. Ivor Foss, Captain J. M. Bower, hemlock logs out for Port Angeles; Ms. Sunnanvik, Captain J. Svenner, lumber cargo out for Shanghai; Ss. Canadian Ranger, Captain W. H. Millar, lumber cargo out for Atlantic ports; and Ss. D. B. M., Captain S. Salvesen, hog fuel barges out.

Coasting ships arriving and departing included the Ss. C.N. No. 1, Captain J. Colborne, towing C.N. barge No. 109; and Ss. Etta Mac, Captain G. E. Wooten, freight scow in tow, from Nanaimo for Victoria.

## INVESTIGATING AWARD PAYMENT

### Commission Had Been Informed Gypsum Queen Abandoned, Not Sunk

OTTAWA, Feb. 17 (CP).—Reparations claims on behalf of the Nova Scotia schooner, Gypsum Queen, were heard and assessed by Commissioner Errol C. McDougall, K.C., Montreal, and payment of some $71,000 made, in spite of the fact that information was placed before the commissioner prior to the judgment, stating that the schooner had not been the victim of a German submarine as alleged. This evidence was adduced at the opening session today of the investigation into the Gypsum Queen award, under Commissioner Horace Harvey, Chief Justice of Alberta: The hearing adjourned at noon until tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock. Peter White, K.C., Toronto, is acting as counsel for the commission.

The Gypsum Queen, owned and sailed by Captain Freeman Hatfield, Parrsboro, N.S., was abandoned some sixty miles off the south coast of Ireland on July 31, 1915. She had sailed from Parrsboro with a cargo of deal bound for the United Kingdom.

When a claim was made to the reparations commission by Captain Hatfield in 1930, the latter stated he had been unaware up to that date that reparations for property loss were being paid.

## *Fortnightly Service From U.K. Announced*

Advices to the effect that the fully refrigerated Donaldson Line vessel Sulairia will be maintained in the Pacific-United Kingdom has been received by agents of the line on this Coast. To maintain a regular fortnightly service they further announce seven of the Donaldson fleet will be in steady use. These include Ss. Cortona, Ss. Sulairia, Ss. Gracia, Ss. Gregalia, Ss. Parthenia, Ms. Modavia and Ms. Moveria. The new schedule has been fixed until October 1 of this year. The Cortona was formerly used only during the apple exporting season. All the ships are well-known here.

The Sulairia is due at Mainland ports tomorrow. The next ship of the line arriving in these waters will be the Gregalia, due here on March 3.

## GRAIN MOVEMENT CONTINUES GOOD

**Exports From Mainland Port Still Below Last Crop Period—Future Bright**

VANCOUVER, Feb. 17 (CP).—Grain exports from the port of Vancouver for the current crop year to date totals 41,999,830 bushels, compared with 44,676,495 bushels for the corresponding period a year ago, according to the weekly report of the Merchants' Exchange.

During the past week shipments totaled 1,756,136 bushels, with ships in port to load 721,733 bushels. Bookings for the balance of February are 832,933 bushels, and March space already disclosed calls for shipment of 4,175,599 bushels.

Elevator stocks today were 11,050,455 bushels, with 743,100 bushels in terminals and an additional 963,500 bushels en route.

Unconfirmed reports in shipping circles estimated that more than 5,000,000 bushels of wheat had been booked during the past ten days for Europe, with loading extended into April.

## *Vancouver Shipping*

VANCOUVER, Feb. 17 (CP).—Pacific Salvage Co., Ltd., expects to have the tug Kyuquot in port and on drydock late this week for inspection and repair tenders. The salvors on the vessel are completing a temporary patch, which will permit the towing of the vessel to this port. She is at present aground in a small cove off Porlier Pass, near where she sank some months ago.

Royal Mail Steam Packet Co. reports Ms. Delftdyk out this evening, via Seattle to London.

Ms. Hiye Maru, Nippon Yusen Kaisha, will sail at 5 o'clock this evening for Seattle.

Dingwall, Cotts & Co. report Ms. San Francisco due late this evening, and Ss. Point Firmin due on Thursday.

Wife (looking up from newspaper)—It tells here about a man giving his wife a $500 fur coat. Nothing like that ever happens to me.

Husband (looking up from his)—I was just reading where a man gave his wife a pair of black eyes for always complaining. Nothing like that ever happens to you, either.

## HEAVENS WERE ILLUMINATED

### Residents on Outside Coast of Washington See Blazing Craft

ABERDEEN, Wash., Feb. 17 (AP).—A flaming vessel, which lighted the heavens for forty minutes with a fierce red glow and then plunged from sight, was observed last night off Pacific Beach.

Beach residents estimated the craft to be from eight to ten miles off shore and to be either a trolling vessel or some other small boat. She was first observed at 9 o'clock, then enveloped in flames and burning terrifically. Through field glasses the craft was observed to sink after the fire had gutted her. No men could be seen and it is thought probable her crew was lost. No small boat or wreckage were reported coming ashore along the Grays Harbor beaches.

The Westport Coastguard investigated but could find no trace of the craft, neither wreckage nor boat. The craft evidently was not from Grays Harbor as all Westport craft are accounted for.

## *MAINLAND TUGBOAT REPORTED AGROUND*

VANCOUVER, Feb. 17 (CP).—The Pacific Coyle tugboat Cape Scott at noon today went ashore on a sandbar in Chancellor Channel, off the north of Thurlow Island, near Sayward, according to word received here.

Pacific Coyle officials state that their information is that the ship is undamaged and will probably be released under her own power on the turn of the tide.

Customer: "I'd like to buy a lawn mower."

Clerk: "Sorry, but we don't handle lawn mowers."

Customer: "Well, this is a fine drug store!"

## Ocean and Coastwise Movements

### *Weather Report*

ESTEVAN—Clear; calm; 30.36; 40; sea smooth.
PACHENA—Clear; calm; 30.22; 42; sea smooth.
CARMANAH—Clear; calm; 30.30; sea smooth.
CAPE BEALE—Clear; calm; 30.36; sea smooth.
SWIFTSURE—Clear; northwest, light; 30.23; 43; sea smooth.

### *Wireless Report*

(Estevan, 8 p.m., unless otherwise stated)
ALBERTOLITE—San Pedro for Vancouver, 224 miles from Vancouver.
CANADIAN WINNER—Bound for Victoria, 399 miles from Victoria.
SAN FRANCISCO—Bound for Vancouver, 120 miles south of Cape Flattery.
GEORGE WASHINGTON—San Francisco for Seattle, 339 miles north of San Francisco.

### *Queen Charlotte Mails*

Mails close 11:15 p.m., January 29; February 12 and 26; March 11 and 25.
Mails close 1:12 p.m., January 19; February 2 and 12; March 1, 12 and 29.

### *Honolulu Mails*

VIA SAN FRANCISCO—Mails close 11:15 p.m., February 7, 8, 9, 14, 16, 17, 21, 22, 23 and 28; March 1, 6 and 8.
MS. AORANGI — Mails close 5 p.m., February 2.
SS. NIAGARA — Mails close 5 p.m., March 2.
SS. EMPRESS OF CANADA—Mails close 4 p.m., March 12.

### *Shipping Calendar*

**TO ARRIVE**

PACIFIC PIONEER — United Kingdom, February 12.
DELFTDYK—United Kingdom-Continent, February 12
SULAIRIA — United Kingdom, February 17.
EMPRESS OF ASIA— Philippines, China and Japan, February 22.
YOKOHAMA MARU—Japan, February 22.
PRESIDENT MADISON — Philippines, China and Japan, February 23.
NIAGARA—Australia, New Zealand, Fiji and Hawaii, February 26.
PACIFIC TRADER — United Kingdom, February 27.
NEBRASKA—United Kingdom, February 27.

**TO DEPART**

SHIDZUOKA MARU—Japan, February 8.
PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—Japan, China and Philippines, February 20.
HIYE MARU—Japan (from Vancouver), February 25.
EMPRESS OF ASIA—Japan, China and Philippines, February 27.

### *West Coast Mails*

AHOUSAT, BAMFIELD, CACHALOT, CKEPEECEE, CLAYOQUOT, CLO-OOSE, ECOOLE, ESTEVAN POINT, KARAWIS, KLIDONAN, KYUQUOT, NOOTKA, PORT RENFREW, QUEEN'S COVE, SAN MATEO, SECHART, TOFINO, UCLUELET

Mails close 10 p.m., 1st, 11th and 21st of each month.
Mails due 9th, 19th and 29th of each month.

**CENTRE ISLAND**

Mails close 10 p.m., 21st of each month. 3:30 a.m., 22nd of each month.
Mails due 29th of each month.

CACHALOT, CLAYOQUOT, ESTEVAN POINT, KARAWIS, KYUQUOT, TOFINO

Mails close 2:30 a.m.

**CLO-OOSE, PORT RENFREW**

Mails close 6th, 16th and 26th of each month.

**HOLBERG, JEUNE LANDING, PORT ALICE, QUATSINO**

Mails close 11:12 p.m., Monday; 1:15 p.m., Friday.
Mails due 7 a.m., Tuesday and Friday.

**SAN MATEO, BAMFIELD, PORT ALICE, QUATSINO**

Mails close 2:30 a.m., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.
Mails due 4:30 p.m., Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

**SECHART AND UCLUELET**

Mails close 2:30 a.m., Thursday and Saturday.
Mails due 4:30 p.m., Monday and Friday.

### *Gulf Island Mail*

(Effective October 4, 1931)
GANGES, GALIANO, MAYNE, PENDER ISLAND, PORT WASHINGTON, SALTSPRING ISLAND

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(February, 1932)

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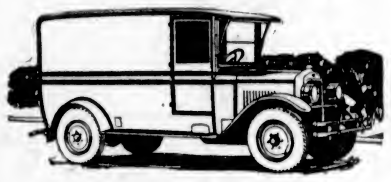

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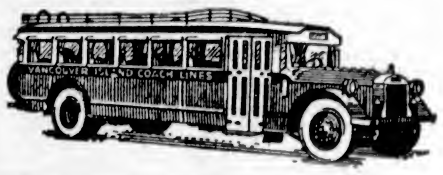


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| 1:40 p.m. | 2:10 p.m. | ..... Wellington ..... | | 12:50 p.m. | 4:50 p.m. |
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| 2:05 p.m. | 8:35 p.m. | ..... Straits Lbr. Co. ..... | | 12:30 p.m. | 4:30 p.m. |
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| 2:20 p.m. | 9:00 p.m. | ..... Parksville ..... | | 12:05 p.m. | 4:05 p.m. |
| 2:40 p.m. | 8:10 p.m. | ..... French Creek ..... | | 11:30 a.m. | 3:50 p.m. |
| 2:50 p.m. | 8:20 p.m. | ..... Qualicum Beach ..... | | 11:40 a.m. | 3:40 p.m. |
| 2:05 p.m. | 8:22 p.m. | ..... Dashwood ..... | | 11:23 a.m. | 3:25 p.m. |
| 2:12 p.m. | 8:42 p.m. | ..... Horne Lake ..... | | 11:12 a.m. | 3:15 p.m. |
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| 2:50 p.m. | 10:15 p.m. | ..... Deep Bay ..... | | 10:40 a.m. | 2:40 p.m. |
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| 4:15 p.m. | 10:40 p.m. | ..... Union Bay ..... | | 10:20 a.m. | 2:20 p.m. |
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| 5:00 p.m. | 11:00 p.m. | ..... Courtenay ..... | | 10:00 a.m. | 2:00 p.m. |
| 2:00 p.m. | 11:15 p.m. | ..... CUMBERLAND ..... | | 9:13 a.m. | 1:45 p.m. |
| 5:30 p.m. | ..... | ..... Merville ..... | | 9:20 a.m. | ..... |
| 5:40 p.m. | ..... | ..... Oyster River ..... | | 9:15 a.m. | ..... |
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# Personal News and Matters of Social Interest

## Government House Scene of Big Reception and Dance After Opening of Legislature

Government House was in gala attire last evening on the occasion of the reception and dance held by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. J. W. Fordham Johnson, following the official dinner given there in connection with the opening of the Provincial Legislature.

Standing in the state drawing-room, surrounded by artistically arranged hothouse flowers and palms, His Honor and Mrs. Fordham Johnson and their daughter, Miss Helen Johnson, received the three or four hundred guests, Mrs. Johnson presenting a handsome figure in a striking gown of wine-colored satin, and Miss Johnson wearing a graceful frock of orange-colored chiffon. Mr. A. M. D. Fairbairn, secretary to His Honor, announced the guests, and aides in attendance were Lieutenant-Colonel A. V. Tremaine, Lieutenant-Commander H. Kingsley, R.C.N.; Major Selden Humphreys, D.S.O., and Captain W. H. Molson, M.C.

It was a brilliant occasion, the naval and military uniforms lending added brilliance to an already animated scene. The great hall and ballroom as well as the drawing-room and other reception rooms were lavishly decorated with flowers. In the ballroom the orchestra dais was screened with feathery pink begonias, and at either end of the ballroom, palms, cinerarias and white begonias were arranged in pyramids of color. Great sprays of pink plum blossoms were the principal feature of the decorations in the hall, and a charmingly artistic arrangement of flowers was used both in the dining-room and billiard-room, where supper was served at 11:45 p.m. Dancing continued until 1:30 o'clock.

**INVITED GUESTS**

The invited guests were as follows:

Premier and Mrs. S. F. Tolmie, Archbishop and Mrs. de Pencier, Hon. H. H. and Mrs. Stevens, Senator and Mrs. J. H. King, Captain the Hon. George and Mrs. Black, Chief Justice and Mrs. J. A. Macdonald, Miss Macdonald, Chief Justice and Mrs. Aulay Morrison, Miss Morrison, Senator and Mrs. G. H. Barnard, Senator and Mrs. J. D. Taylor, the Misses Taylor, Senator and Mrs. R. F. Green, Senator and Mrs. A. E. Planta, Senator and Mrs. A. D. McRae, Mr. Justice and Mrs. Archer Martin, Mr. Justice and Mrs. W. A. Galliher, the Misses Galliher, Mr. Justice and Mrs. Denis Murphy, Mr. Justice and Mrs. F. B. Gregory, Mr. Justice A. E. McPhillips, Mr. Justice and Mrs. W. A. Macdonald, Mr. Justice and Mrs. M. A. Macdonald, Mr. Justice and Mrs. D. A. McDonald, Mr. Justice and Mrs. I. A. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dickie, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Neill, Mr. D. B. Plunkett, Mr. and Mrs. Grote Stirling, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Barber, Mr. W. K. Esling, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fraser, Mr. and Mrs. Olof Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Reid, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hanbury, Mr. and Mrs. Angus McInnis, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Munn.

Hon. S. L. and Mrs. Howe, Hon. R. H. and Mrs. Pooley, Miss Pooley, Hon. N. S. and Mrs. Lougheed, the Misses Lougheed, Hon. J. W. and Mrs. Jones, Hon. William and Mrs. Atkinson, Miss Atkinson, Hon. W. A. and Mrs. McKenzie, Miss McKenzie, Hon. R. W. and Mrs. Bruhn, Miss Bruhn, Hon. Joshua and Mrs. Hinchliffe, Miss Hinchliffe, Hon. W. C. and Mrs. Shelly, the Misses Shelly, Hon. R. L. and Mrs. Maitland, Hon. C. F. and Mrs. Davie, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Pattullo.

Brigadier and Mrs. J. Sutherland Brown, Commander and Mrs. R. I. Agnew, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Schofield, Mr. and Mrs. F. King, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Manson, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Kergin, Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. F. Lister, the Misses Lister, Mr. and Mrs. T. Uphill, Miss Uphill, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Hayward, Mr. and Mrs. M. Manson, Miss Manson, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Twigg, Miss Twigg, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Walkem, Miss Walkem, Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Wrinch, Miss Wrinch, Mayor and Mrs. A. W. Gray, Mr. J. H. Beatty, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Berry, Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Borden, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Carson, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cornett, Miss Cornett, Mr. and Mrs. William Dick, Captain J. Fitzsimmons, Dr. and Mrs. Gillis, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hanna, Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Kingston, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Kirk, Miss Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. R. Mackenzie, Miss Mackenzie, Dr. and Mrs. G. K. MacNaughton, Miss MacNaughton, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. MacPherson, Mr. J. R. Michell, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Pearson, Miss Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rutledge, Miss Rutledge.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. V. Spencer, the Misses Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. George Heggie, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Loutet, Miss Loutet, Mr. R. W. Alward, Captain and Mrs. M. P. Macintosh, Rt. Rev. C. D. and Mrs. Schofield, Rt. Rev. Gerald Murray, Squadron Leader and Mrs. A. B. Shearer, Mayor and Mrs. David Leeming, Mayor Louis Taylor, of Vancouver; Commander and Mrs. Brodeur, Lieutenant-Commander and Mrs. Laurie, Lieutenant-Commander and Mrs. Beach, Lieutenant-Commander and Mrs. Hart, Lieutenant-Commander and Mrs. Kingsley, Lieutenant-Commander and Mrs. Donald, Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. L. W. Pope, Major and Mrs. R. O. G. Morton, Colonel and Mrs. L. Drum, Colonel and Mrs. Panet, Colonel and Mrs. H. C. Greer, Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. Tremaine, Major and Mrs. Colquhoun.

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## HOUSE WEDDING IS CELEBRATED

**Miss Gladys McLauchlan and Mr. E. J. Moore United in Marriage —Will Make Home Here**

A charming wedding was solemnized last night at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Smith, 423 Parry Street, when Rev. W. R. Brown performed the marriage service for their foster-daughter, Gladys Maud McLauchlan, and Mr. Edward John Moore, only son of the late Mr. Charles T. Moore and Mrs. J. Bryant. During the ceremony the bride and groom stood beneath an arch of ivy surmounted with a spangled horseshoe and flanked with tall baskets of plum blossom and daffodils. Mrs. T. Southern sang "Calm as the Night" during the signing of the register, and the wedding marches were played by Miss Eleanor Schroeder. The bride was given in marriage by Mr. Smith and looked smart in a becoming ensemble of light navy crepe de Chine with the frock and trimmings figured in white. She wore a close-fitting blue hat of the new shiny straw with a short face veil and held an arm bouquet of Ophelia roses and pink snapdragons.

**ONLY BRIDESMAID**

The only bridesmaid was Miss Alberta White, in a frock of leaf green georgette with touches of beige, who wore a small beige hat and shoes, and a held a sheaf of Distinction chrysanthemums and pink snapdragons.

Little Lorraine Miles was a dainty flower girl in a frilly frock of white voile embroidered in pink rosebuds, who wore a bandeau of pink rosebuds in her hair and held a golden basket of freezias and pink snapdragons.

Mr. James H. Maker supported the groom.

**GUESTS RECEIVED**

The guests were welcomed by Mr. and Mrs. Smith, the latter in a gown of brown chiffon over satin, and by Mrs. Bryant, in flat crepe of a soft shade of blue trimmed with cream lace.

Supper was served in the dining-room from a table arranged with daffodils and freezias and lighted with tall green tapers in crystal holders. The three-tier bride cake was set on a small table arranged with a handsome lace cloth, beneath streamers of yellow and white suspended from the chandelier.

**TO RESIDE HERE**

After a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Moore will make their home at 3061 Albina Street. Mrs. Moore left in a handsome black overcoat of basket weave cloth with sable collar and cuffs, and blue shoes and gloves to match her frock, and carried a purse en suite.

Among the beautiful gifts received was a dinner service from the staff of Stevenson's Chocolate Shop, where the bride had been employed for the last seven years, and a silver tea set from the firm of Williams, Trerise & Williams, of which the groom is a member.

## *Personals, Parties Visitors*

**Tea at Empress**

Following the opening of the Legislature yesterday afternoon, a large number of visitors, members and those who attended the ceremonies gathered in the lounge of the Empress Hotel, where tea was served. The rooms were gay with bowls of Spring flowers, and the orchestra played a special programme of classical and popular music. Among those noticed were Mrs. George Walkem, Mrs. J. K. Hodges, Hon. W. C. Shelly, Mrs. G. H. Stevens, Miss Napier, Mrs. E. C. Poogate, Mrs. F. Longstaff, Miss Hornell, Mrs. J. W. Jones, Mrs. W. C. Moresby, Mrs. F. Kilsby, Mrs. S. R. Bowden, Mrs. Fred Willis, Miss Duke, Mrs. John Nairn, Mrs. R. H. Pooley, Mrs. J. A. R. Rowe, Mrs. R. P. Rithet, Mrs. F. E. Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hill, Miss Lynch, Miss Madeley, Mrs. S. Graves, Mrs. Kennedy, Mayor Leeming, Mr. F. W. Hartley, Mr. E. Stoneham, Mrs. R. P. Richards and party, Mrs. Whiliams, Mrs. H. Maynard, Mrs. W. Bell, Mrs. A. V. Pineo, Mrs. Owen Smith, Mrs. Savage, Mrs. T. O. Mackay, Mr. and Mrs. R. Pooley, Miss Mackay, Mrs. P. C. McIntyre and Mrs. A. H. Devenish.

**Surprise Party**

The home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Henry, 2632 Scott Street, was the scene of a delightful surprise party for Miss Elsie Warburton, on Monday evening, the occasion being her eighteenth birthday. The table was decorated with valentines and candles, and centred with a large birthday cake. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Warburton, Mr. and Mrs. Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Anfield, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Raymond, Mrs. George Stocks, Mrs. Anfield, the Misses Elsie Warburton, Doris Henry, Norma Ferris, Marjory Ferris, Marjory Morris, Betty Schwarz, Mable Bocott, Dorothy Williams, Dorothy Warburton, Joyce Warburton, Margaret Henry, and Messrs. Fred Henry, John McMillian, Fred Fulton, Harold Anfield, C. Stewart, Frank Lockwood, Douglas Crawford, Philip Raymond, George Bridges and Raymond Warburton.

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**Tea Hostess**

Miss Nan Hutton entertained a number of her friends at the tea hour yesterday afternoon at the Cairo Coffee Shop, Douglas Street. The tea table was prettily arranged with a centreplece of daffodils, lighted by tall yellow tapers in low holders. Miss Hutton's guests included: Misses Gwen Dorman, Dorothy Stokes, Jean Paterson, Grace Paterson, Eileen Thain, Betty O'Brien, Catherine O'Brien, Kathleen Dawes, Audrey Lewin, Claire Allen, "Bobbie" Goward, Rhoda Goward, Gladys Shepard, Doreen Swayne, Betty Wilson and Patricia Hudson.

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**Bridge Hostess**

Mrs. Henry Webster was hostess recently at a delightful bridge party at her home on Moss Street, when she entertained the members of her club. The reception rooms were lovely with bowls of daffodils. During an interval of play, Mrs. Webster served tea at the card tables. The guests were: Mrs. T. W. Paterson, Mrs. J. Robertson, Mrs. G. A. Richardson, Mrs. Joseph H. Emery, Mrs. Cullum, Mrs. John J. Collinson, Mrs. J. Savannah, Mrs. T. J. Jones, Mrs. McLaren, Mrs. J. B. Merceer and Mrs. J. D. McNiven.

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**Birthday Party Held**

An enjoyable surprise party was held at the home of Mrs. Ashton, 802 Bay Street, in honor of the fifteenth birthday of her daughter, Naomi. Games and music were enjoyed, a buffet supper being served later. Among those present were: Mesdames Ashton, Blanco, Kiest, Thompson, the Misses N. Ashton, S. Emery, D. Thompson, L. Jansen, R. Ashton, I. Thompson, C. Kiest, C. Turence, F. Whitworth, A. Blanco and Messrs. B. Ashton, J. Emery, F. Thompson, A. Blanco, D. Potts and A. Gillam.

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**Farewell Tea**

Mrs. R. H. Fort, Constance Avenue, will entertain a few friends at tea this afternoon in farewell to Mrs. Francis Gow, who is returning to Halifax at the end of the month after a few months' visit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. Donald. Those invited include Mrs. Gow, Mrs. A. Woodcroft, Mrs. Nelson Gibson, Miss Vivien Combe, Miss Esther Alexander, Miss Elaine Galliher, Miss Doris Harper and the Misses Joy and Betty Phillips.

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**Dinner at Empress**

Mrs. Fordham Johnson entertained at dinner at the Empress Hotel last evening before the state reception at Government House, her guests including Mrs. B. T. Rogers, Mrs. E. Rogers, Mrs. Hobart Molson, Miss Helen Johnson, Miss Lucy Bryden, Sir Charles Delme-Radcliffe, Major E. C. G. Chambers, Captain Eric Henderson, Major G. Barton, Mr. Robin Piers and Mr. E. W. McMullen.

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**Leave for Prince Rupert**

Mr. William Robertson, Bank Street, has left for Prince Rupert, where he will in future make his home. Mr. and Mrs. Calderwood, of Prince Rupert, who were the guests of Mrs. Calderwood's father, Mr. W. Robertson, for a few days, have returned to their home.

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**Leave for Home**

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Howell are leaving Honolulu today by the R.M.S. Niagara for their home here, after a two months' visit in Hawaii, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hemenway and Mr. and Mrs. John Waterhouse.

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**Entertain at Dinner**

Colonel and Mrs. Lennox Irving, Foul Bay Road, entertained at a dinner party of ten last night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Nichols, of Winnipeg, prior to the dance at Government House.

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**Here on Visit**

Mr. Donald McDiarmid and Mr. Kenneth Martin are visitors in the city from Vancouver and attended the opening of Parliament yesterday.

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**Pre-Dance Dinner**

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Holland, Armit Avenue, entertained at a small dinner party last night before attending the dance at Government House.

## Takes Part in Plans for Official Ball

—Photograph by Steffens-Colmer.

MRS. W. C. MORESBY

chairman of the social committee of the Victoria Conservative Association, will assist in receiving at the sessional ball at the Empress Hotel tomorrow night.

**Luncheon Hostess**

Mrs. J. K. Hodges entertained at luncheon yesterday at the Empress Hotel in honor of Mrs. F. S. McNicholas, of Anyox, who is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hill.

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**From Pavilion**

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Carson, of Pavilion, B.C., are visiting the Misses Aylard, Elliott Street. Mr. Carson is member for Lillooet in the Provincial Legislature.

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**Return to "Guest House"**

Commander and Mrs. McKenzie-Grieve have returned to the "Guest House," Oak Bay, after a month's absence, during which time they were on a motor trip in California.

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**Leaves for Portland**

After a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hill, Mrs. MacNicholas, of Anyox, left for Portland yesterday afternoon.

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**Tea Hostess**

Mrs. Kenneth Raymur entertained a few friends at tea yesterday afternoon at her home on North Hampshire Road.

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**Returns From Toronto**

Mrs. Cecil French has returned from Toronto, where she was visiting her son and daughter-in-law.

## Clubs and Societies

**W.B.A. Meeting**

A well-attended social meeting of the Queen Alexandra Review, No. 1, was held in the K. of C. Hall recently, with Mrs. McQueen Todd, president, in the chair. A letter of thanks was received for the donation sent to the Women's Workroom. It was with regret that the resignation of Mrs. Ricketts was received. Mrs. Manson will fill the chair pro tem. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served, Mrs. Gilbert winning the cake. A meeting of the Girls' Club will be held on February 26, at the home of Miss Vye, 2436 Richmond Road.

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**St. Andrew's W.M.S.**

St. Andrew's W.M.S. held its monthly meeting in the lecture room of the church, with Mrs. J. Kennedy, the president, presiding. There were thirty-three ladies present. After the general business, a very interesting address on "Stewardship," was given by Mrs. Donald, finance secretary of general council of the church, in Toronto. A solo by Mrs. Hawes was also enjoyed. In March, the W.M.S. members plan on entertaining home-helpers at their meeting.

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**Pride of Victoria, L.A., R.A.O.B.**

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Pride of Victoria Lodge, 4567, R.A.O.B., held a Valentine social recently in their hall, which was decorated with red streamers and hearts. Songs were rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. Musgrave and Mrs. Ramsey. Frank Merryfield, with his magic tricks and acts, kept the audience amused. Mrs. Playne appeared in a quaint costume. A buffet supper was served, after which dancing brought a very enjoyable evening to a close.

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**Canadian Legion W.A.**

At the home of Mrs. A. E. Planta, Newcastle Townsite, Nanaimo, yesterday, forty-three members of the Women's Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League attended a tea and an enjoyable musical programme. Fortunes were told by Mrs. Cavalsky and Mrs. Bradwell. During the afternoon contests were held, the winners being Mrs. Wilgress, Mrs. Hall and Mrs. Mortlock.

Norway is attempting to organize a central marketing office for exports.

## Kitty McKay

By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM

The girl chum says that the difference between a safe dial and a radio dial is that one opens the way to the dough and the other the "do-ray-mi."

## DINNER GIVEN BEFORE DANCE

**Lieut.-Governor Hon. J. W. Fordham Johnson Host at State Dinner**

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor entertained at the annual state dinner last evening at Government House, this event marking the official opening of the Legislative Assembly. The table was elaborately arranged with daffodils and greenery and yellow candles in silver candelabra, the whole effect being most charming. Following the dinner a largely attended reception was held.

The invited guests were: Most Rev. A. U. de Pencier (Vancouver), Most Rev. W. M. Duke (Vancouver), Rt. Rev. C. de V. Schofield, Rt. Rev. Gerald Murray, Hon. H. H. Stevens, Hon. S. F. Tolmie, Senator J. H. King, Captain the Hon. Ian Mackenzie, Captain the Hon. George Black, Chief Justice J. A. Macdonald, Chief Justice Aulay Morrison, Senator G. H. Barnard, Senator J. D. Taylor, Hon. R. F. Green, Senator A. E. Planta, Major General Senator A. D. McRae, Mr. Justice Archer Martin, Mr. Justice W. A. Galliher, Mr. Justice Denis Murphy, Mr. Justice F. B. Gregory, Mr. Justice A. E. McPhillips, Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald, Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald, Mr. Justice M. A. Macdonald, Mr. Justice A. I. Fisher, Messrs. C. H. Dickie, M.P., A. W. Neill, M.P., D. B. Plunkett, M.P., Olof Hanson, M.P., Thomas Reid, M.P., Grote Stirling, M.P., Hon. S. L. Howe, Hon. R. H. Pooley, Hon. W. A. McKenzie, Hon. J. W. Jones, Hon. R. W. Bruhn, Hon. William Atkinson, Hon. N. S. Lougheed, Hon. Joshua Hinchliffe, Hon. W. C. Shelly, Hon. R. L. Maitland, Mr. T. D. Pattullo, Hon. C. F. Davie, Brigadier J. Sutherland Brown, Commander Ian Agnew, Squadron Leader A. B. Shearer, Mr. E. Rogers, Captain W. H. Molson, Major A. Seldon Humphreys and Mr. A. M. D. Fairbairn.

## *Former Jubilee Patient Writes Appreciatively*

An appreciative former patient of Jubilee Hospital has sent to the directors a contribution toward the $60,000 they are trying to raise to meet their present indebtedness due to the depression and difficulty in collecting fees.

"Once, when I had a time of agony, your doctors and nurses wet my parched lips; from my poverty is sent a contribution, as you are so hard hit with the collapse of our trade," this erstwhile patient writes, in the latter which accompanies his donation.

"Your institution to me is unique, as it is the only person or thing who or which rendered such a service.

"A certain book we wot of tells of ten men being healed, but only one had so much thankfulness as to return and offer thanks.

"The average still holds. Why don't your folk go after the absent-minded ones you have helped, hit the nine on the head as you remind them?

"NEMO."

## *Baptist Conference Report Is Given by Rev. G. A. Reynolds*

The regular meeting of the Women's Missionary Department was held in the women's parlor, Mrs. G. A. Reynolds presiding. There was a splendid attendance of women to hear the report brought by the pastor, Rev. G. A. Reynolds, from the Baptist Union board meeting recently held in Edmonton.

A most excellent paper was prepared by Mrs. Winnifred (Rex) Eaton, of Vancouver, and read by Mrs. W. P. Freeman. Mrs. Angus Galbraith, White Cross secretary, brought a splendid report of work done by the ladies, also a White Cross list which will be required by June for India. Mrs. Fuggle reported for women's literary committee.

## SOCIAL AFTERNOON IS ENJOYED AT SOMENOS

A most delightful St. Valentine tea was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Harr'n, on Tuesday afternoon, for the benefit of the Get Together Circle, of Duncan United Church. The afternoon was spent with contests and music. Mrs. E. Jennings and Miss M. I'Anson won the Valentine tea contest. The hostess, assisted by many willing helpers, served tea.

Those present were: Mesdames D. P. Garrison, J. Bovyer, E. W. Lea, C. Van Norman, C. B. Mains, G. Kier, B. Kier, J. F. Sellars, W. Gadsden, J. Baker, Murry, J. Highsted, S. Corble, Notley, E. Buckmaster, P. R. Dobson, J. H. I'Anson, J. H. Smith, A. Mann, Misses Doris Corble, Kate and Louie Buckmaster, and others.

## *Princess Alexandra Lodge Holds Social*

A Valentine social was held under the auspices of Lodge Princess Alexandra, Daughters of England, on Monday evening, at the home of Mrs. Gosnell, 510 Oswego Street. The tables were decorated in Valentine colors, with brass candlesticks and red candles, the flowers being narcissi and red carnations.

Guessing competitions and games were enjoyed, the prizes being won by Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Delahay, Mrs. Gorton; the mystery box, by Miss Preston; the contests, by Mrs. Jacklin, Mrs. Ashworth and Mrs. Baker.

There were several members of the sister lodge present. Mrs. Dudley Bell and Mrs. Norris assisted at the tables.

Italy converted 1,800 tons of orange blossoms into perfume last year.

## APPEAL MADE FOR MISSING RECORDS

**First United W.M.S. Hears Address on Organization—Easter Luncheon Will Be Held**

At the meeting of the First United Women's Missionary Society, which was held on Monday, a most interesting talk was given by Mrs. Wilson on the "Early History of the Women's Missionary Society," which was started twenty-four years ago, with Mrs. R. K. Thompson as president and Mrs. Martin, who is now of Churchill, as secretary. The books containing these early records have been mislaid, and the Women's Missionary Society requests that any information about the first ten years, 1908 to 1918, will be reported to the president.

Mrs. McLennon, president, presided at the meeting. Minutes as read by Mrs. Smith were adopted. The devotional exercises were led by Mrs. Hoy and prayers were offered by Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Mayhew and Mrs. McKean. Mrs. Shroder reported a list of supplies requested for this year, including quilts, clothing, etc.

On Thursday, March 31, the Women's Missionary Society will hold the annual Easter luncheon, to which representatives of all the organizations of the First United Church will be invited.

An interesting report on the temperance situation in Great Britain was given by Mrs. Calvert. Mrs. McKellop spoke on "Thoughts on Christian Stewardships," and the first chapter in the study book, "Korea," was reviewed by Mrs. Gibson. A trio, composed of Mrs. Young, Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Wright, added to the enjoyment of the afternoon. The next regular meeting will be held on March 21.

## LIBERALS' WHIST DRIVE

A successful whist drive was held at headquarters on Tuesday, under the auspices of Ward Two Liberal Association. Winners of the first prizes were Mrs. J. L. White and Mr. Pimmell. Dancing and refreshments brought an enjoyable evening to a close.


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# At the Theatres

## WILLIAM HAINES NOW AT CAPITOL

**Popular Comedian Stars in "New Adventures of Get-Rich-Quick Wallingford"**

Imagine having a cheque for $25,000, certified and perfectly good, but being in a spot where to endorse and cash it meant jail! It doesn't sound possible, but William Haines, Jimmy (Schnozzle) Durante and Ernest Torrence prove that it can be done.

The situation is one of the amusing complications of "New Adventures of Get-Rich-Quick Wallingford," which opens today at the Capitol Theatre. The comedy romance of love and high finance was suggested by the popular Cosmopolitan Magazine stories of George Randolph Chester.

The story opens with Wallingford and Blackie Daw trying to outwit each other in a crooked poker game aboard a transatlantic liner; then shows how the pair conspire to inveigle a rich manufacturer into a bogus deal and the attempt of Blackie Daw to impersonate a bank president. Hilarious complications result. Then the hero meets a girl, falls in love and puts over the biggest deal of his life. In directing the picture, Sam Wood provided a mixture of straight acting, humorous characterizations and romantic episodes.

Among the comedy highlights are the scenes in which the droll Durante passes himself off as a state senator; the hoodwinking of the Syracuse manufacturer, and the desperate attempts of Haines to hide his true identity from the girl he loves.

**DOMINION THEATRE** Audiences at the Dominion Theatre yesterday got an intimate view of American family life. "Husband's Holiday," starring Clive Brook. A view such as in real life would not even be vouchsafed to near relatives of the principals involved. The things that happen in this animated picture of minor and major tragedies, small and large joys, are things that even inquisitive neighbors in real life would never dream could take place in "that house next door."

**EMPIRE THEATRE** "Kept Husbands," Radio Pictures' fast moving drama of modern American domestic life, introduces Dorothy Mackaill, Joel McCrea, Clara Kimball Young, Bryant Washburn and other favorites in a plot that is guaranteed to entertain. It is a social problem drama that enjoys the unique distinction of being packed with enjoyable humor. Now it's at the Empire Theatre.

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## LAURA LA PLANTE IS COMING TO COLUMBIA

"Arizona," the Columbia drama adapted from the celebrated stage play by Augustus Thomas, now showing at the Columbia Theatre, is described as a drama which depicts the conflicts of the two powerful emotions of love and honor.

The action of a woman who seeks to exact revenge from a man who treated her love lightly, forms the plot basis. She uses methods, both fair and foul, in bringing about what she considers retribution, only to find that in doing so she is playing havoc with the happiness of the two people she loves best in all the world. It is said that her action attempting to right this results in a denouement that is both surprising and overwhelming in its strength.

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## HARRY CAREY STARS IN PLAYHOUSE FILM

The most intricate portable sound-recording apparatus ever built was used in filming and recording the first complete sound picture ever filmed in the African jungles—"Trader Horn," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's gigantic transcription of the famous book, which will open today at the Playhouse Theatre.

The outfit moved on a great truck that housed a recording room with its machines. A caterpillar tread was provided for rough travel. A complete electrical plant within the contrivance furnished power.

Harry Carey, Duncan Renaldo and Edwina Booth play the three principal roles in the story, recreated from Aloysius Horn's book. W. S. Van Dyke, remembered for "White Shadows in the South Seas" and "The Pagan," directed. Among the big thrills are the death dance of the deadly Isorgi, the battle between a lion and a zebra in which the striped mule kicks the King of Beasts into flight, the battle between leopards and a hyena pack, and innumerable thrills with crocodiles, hippos, wild elephants and other perils.

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**Capitol** — William Haines in "Get-Rich-Quick Wallingford."

**Columbia**—"Arizona," starring Laura La Plante.

**Dominion** — Clive Brook in "Husband's Holiday."

**Empire** — "Kept Husbands," featuring Dorothy Mackaill.

**Playhouse** — Harry Carey in "Trader Horn."

**Crystal Garden** — Swimming, Dancing and Badminton.

## "BOHEMIAN GIRL" IS COLORFUL OFFERING

With the memory of colorful "Robin Hood" still fresh to opera lovers, the Victoria Operatic Society will present Balfe's lovely "Bohemian Girl" at the Royal Victoria, February 26 and 27, with the brilliancy of coloring and pageantry, artistic singing, and all the attention which the public expects to find in a production by their own opera company. The period, 1792, at the time of the second partition of Poland, when the Polish aristocracy were fleeing from the ruthless invaders of a country divided between Austria, Germany and Russia, saw changes also in fashions. While the gentlemen still clung to silks and velvets and sleeve ruffles, waist lines of the ladies had crept higher, silhouettes grown slimmer, much in the style of our own advance fashions.

## GOVERNMENT HOUSE SCENE OF BRILLIANT RECEPTION AND DANCE

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River; Major and Mrs. R. J. Simpson, New Westminster; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Allen, Winnipeg.

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## MISSION SOCIETY ELECTS OFFICERS

**Thomas Humphries, Past President, Is Again Chosen to Lead Group's Activities**

Members and friends of the Mission to Lepers met in the Y.W.C.A. Tuesday afternoon, with Thomas Humphries in the chair. After devotional exercises, Rev. Peter McNabb gave a very interesting talk on the splendid results that have been achieved since the formation of the mission. The chairman thanked him for his helpful address.

Mrs. E. Wilderspin, in presenting her annual report, stated that more than $300 in cash had been contributed last year. In addition to this, articles to the value of $200 had been sent to leper homes in Korea.

Dr. Williams, who has charge of one of the homes in Korea, wrote expressing appreciation for the splendid contribution of the Victoria auxiliary. Rev. H. N. Konkle, Canadian secretary of the mission, in a letter to the meeting, expressed the hope that on his return from China he might have an opportunity of addressing the friends in Victoria on the general work of the mission.

In the election of officers very little change was made. Thomas Humphries, who has been president since the auxiliary was formed, was unanimously re-elected. Rev. Daniel Walker and Rev. A. de B. Owen were elected vice-presidents and Mrs. E. C. Wilderspin secretary-treasurer; convener of "Pete" banks, Miss Outram, and magazine secretary, Mrs. Lauderdale. The above, with the following, will form the executive committee: Miss A. E. Evans, Mrs. Spragg, Miss K. Moore and Miss A. Martin.

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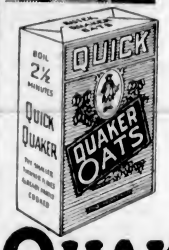

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## DAUGHTERS OF PITY BRIDGE PARTY HAS SPLENDID SUCCESS

The Daughters of Pity bridge party, held last night at the Nurses' Home, was eminently successful, and augurs well for further projected efforts by the organization.

More than fifty-five tables were in play, and at the close of the evening, H. H. Shandley, chairman of the board of directors, presented the prizes, of which there were fourteen, six for auction, four for contract, two hidden, one for auction, and one for contract. These were donated by the Daughters of Pity and their friends, and much applause greeted the announcement of the awards.

The big recreation room, where the tables were arranged, was tastefully decorated with daffodils and pussy willows, and Miss Maude Worthington, president of the Daughters of Pity, welcomed the guests. In charge of the general arrangements was Miss Kathleen Roberts, who was assisted by an able committee which took charge also of the supper details.

## Women's Institutes of Vancouver Island

**SOUTH SAANICH W.I.**

The South Saanich Women's Institute will hold its monthly meeting, at the Temperance Hall, East Saanich Road, tonight.

## I.O.D.E. Activities

**Royal Bride Chapter**

The annual meeting of the Royal Bride Chapter will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of the regent, Mrs. Sidney Wood, 1866 Forrester Street.

## *WILL HOLD DANCE IN AID OF NEEDY*

The Saanich Conservative Association will hold a dance in the Shrine Auditorium on Thursday, February 25, the proceeds to be donated to the Saanich Welfare Association, in aid of the needy. An able committee is working hard to make the affair a success.

Tickets are selling rapidly and it is expected there will be a large attendance. A popular six-piece orchestra will provide the music for dancing from 9 till 1 o'clock. Refreshments will be served.

George E. Winkler, president of the Vancouver Island Prospectors' Association, will give an illustrated lecture before the members in the Unity Centre Hall, Yates Street, on Friday night at 8 o'clock. His topic will be "Ramblings in the Dry Belt," being a description of topography, flora, fauna, geology and mineral deposits of the dry belt of British Columbia.

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# LODGE WORK IS OUTLINED

## Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association Delegates Receive City's Welcome

Nearly two hundred delegates to the tenth annual session of the Provincial Grand Lodge of the Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association yesterday commenced their business sessions at the Shrine Temple. The regular business meetings were preceded by divine service at the Church of Our Lord, Reformed Episcopal.

Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Mistress, Mrs. Isabel Burt, of Vancouver, presided, and spoke a few words of welcome to Most Worshipful Grand Mistress of British America, Mrs. Grace Darracott, and Most Worshipful Past Grand Mistress of British America, Mrs. Mary Tulk.

**MEMORIAL SERVICE**

During the morning, an impressive memorial service was held for members of the lodge who had passed away during the year.

Past Grand Master Daniel Alton and Mrs. Darracott addressed the gathering, and Mrs. E. L. Skett, Worshipful Mistress of the Purple Star Lodge, delivered an address of welcome to the visiting delegates and presented a bouquet of flowers to Mrs. Burt.

Mrs. Ida Doherty, Worshipful Mistress of the Queen of Island Lodge, Victoria, gave an address of welcome and presented a bouquet to Mrs. Darracott, while Mrs. Nichols, Worshipful Mistress of Britannia Lodge, Victoria, presented a bouquet of flowers to Mrs. Tulk.

**REPORTS READ**

Following the welcoming ceremony, Mrs. Florence Finlay, secretary of the Grand Lodge, presented her annual report, which revealed much useful work done during the past year. Mrs. L. L. Carson, treasurer, also presented her report, showing the organization to be in a strong financial position.

Messages of greetings were read from the various lodges in widely-separated parts of the province, including the Loyal True Blue Chapter.

**CITY'S WELCOME**

Alderman James Adam, representing Mayor David Leeming, was a guest of honor at the afternoon session and delivered an address of welcome to the delegates. The Mayor was unable to be present due to the opening of the Legislature.

Several officers of the home board gave an outline of the work being carried on at the Orange Orphanage in New Westminster. Their reports revealed much humanitarian work performed during the past twelve months. The position of the institution had been considerably strengthened by the generous support from the various lodges, it was said.

Mr. O. W. Wakeland also gave a report on the organization of juvenile lodges and stated that the membership had been considerably increased during the past year.

**TROPHY PRESENTED**

Mr. McCallum presented a silver trophy at yesterday's session for competition among the five lodges on Vancouver Island in degree work.

Last night a demonstration of degree work was given jointly by the Purple Star Lodge, which is the mother lodge, and the Queen of the Island Chapter.

During the afternoon the delegates and officers had their group photographs taken. This afternoon the annual election of officers will be held.


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## Anniversary of Silver Wedding Is Celebrated

A celebration of the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Flack took place on Tuesday evening at their home, 1400 Monterey Avenue.

The marriage took place at the Congregational Church, Leytonstone, London, England, on February 16, 1907.

A most enjoyable evening was spent by all present, the invited guests being: Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Colvin, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hartley, Mr. and Mrs. H. Langley, Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Nickerson, Mr. and Mrs. W. Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. J. Loudoun, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. P. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. K. Easton, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gardiner, Mr. and Mrs. E. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Teasdale, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Impett, Mrs. Stone, Miss Robinson, Miss Custance, Mrs. Osborne, Miss May Flack and Mr. Norman Flack.

## HONOR OLD MEMBER WITH SURPRISE VISIT ON EVE OF BIRTHDAY

The fellow members of St. Anne's, French Creek, W.A., paid a surprise visit to Mrs. L. T. Davis, one of the oldest members of the W.A. in the Diocese of Columbia. The occasion was the eve of her birthday, which was on St. Valentine's Day.

The ladies met at the home of Mrs. Percy Rushton and proceeded to Mrs. Davis, with a lovely bouquet of daffodils and a spring-like basket of little gifts, for one who has in her years of residence in St. Anne's parish, proved herself an untiring and enthusiastic worker for the W.A.

Several guessing competitions were held, causing much amusement. Supper was served by Mrs. May, president, of St. Anne's branch, and several others.

Those present were Mesdames May, A. L. Smith, Roscow, Blenkin, Stanhope, Leakey, Hickey, Baker, McClelland, Abernethy, Chaney Parks, Rushton, Moillet and Wilson.

## *S.P.C.A. Inspector's Report for January Shows Busy Period*

The monthly meeting of the Victoria branch of the British Columbia Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals was held on Tuesday night in the Campbell Building. The inspector reported a busy month during January, complaints having been received from many outside points in the province, and those which are too remote have been referred to the Provincial Police. A poundkeeper has been appointed by the Government for the Colwood, Metchosin and Langford districts.

The Automobile Club of British Columbia has consented to allot space in its magazine requesting motorists to notify the Victoria S.P.C.A. of accidents to animals on the highways of Vancouver Island.

The report of the society's activities for 1931 is now ready, and copies may be had from the secretary.

Cases of cruelty or neglect should be reported to the inspector, G. A. Allen, 'phone E 8351, or to the secretary-treasurer, A. R. Sherwood, 'phone E 7556.

Chillingham Castle, famous old Scottish border stronghold, is for rent.

## Will Assist Spencer Choir Tomorrow

MAIDIE DISCOMBE
soprano soloist, with the David Spencer Choir concert in aid of the Victorian Order of Nurses, tomorrow evening at the Shrine Auditorium. The proceeds of this concert are to aid the Victorian Order of Nurses.

## *Lake Hill Dance Tomorrow Night*

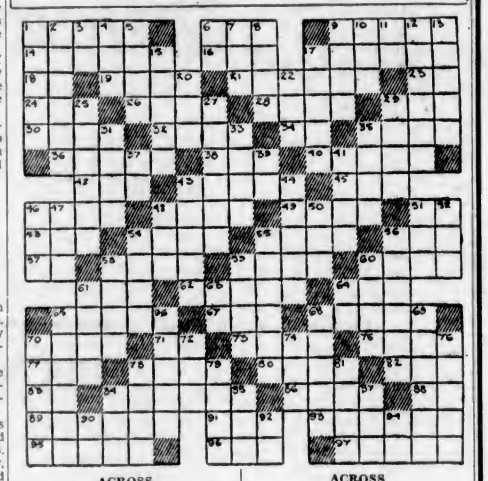
A dance will be held at Lake Hill Community Hall, on Friday evening, the proceeds to be devoted to the Saanich and Suburb Basketball League. A good orchestra has been secured. There will be prizes for the different contests.

## Engagement

**BROWN—FOWLER**

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Fowler, Ten-Mile Point, announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen, to Mr. Kenneth W. Brown, only son of Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Brown, of 800 St. George's Avenue, North Vancouver. The wedding will take place in April.

## The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



**ACROSS**

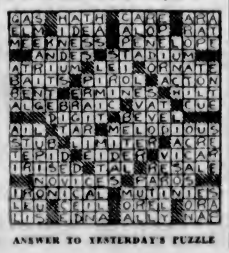
1. Pertaining to the Salian Franks of their code of laws.
6. Deed.
9. Idiots.
14. Pertaining to atavism.
16. Entreat.
17. Small tower.
18. Italian river.
19. River of Belgium.
21. Manifest or apparent.
23. Sloth.
24. Unit.
26. Sincere.
28. Outer skin of fruit.
29. Eagle.
30. Steeps, as flax.
32. Ova.
34. And, in Latin.
35. Abstain from fat-forming foods.
36. Arabian coasting vessels.
38. Hurried.
40. Withers.
42. Before.
43. Criminal.
45. Linden (abbr.).
46. Saucy.
48. Fog.
49. Elliptical.
51. Behold.
53. Those in power.
54. Fishes.
55. Poetic name of Ireland.
56. A bovine.
57. Boy's name.
58. Adipose tissues.
59. One of a pair.
60. Black haw.
61. To taste.
62. Masticators.
64. Consumed.
65. Haste.
67. Born.
68. Cubic meter.
70. Spirit.
71. Mixture or sand, earth, lava and stones.
73. Journey with ox-wagon.
75. Pineapple.
77. Huge vat.
78. Prima donna.
80. Winter vehicle.
82. Car.
83. Hypothetical force.
84. Vamps.
86. Calamitous.
88. Belonging to me.
89. Where the cooknes are kept.

**ACROSS**

91. Expression of impatience.
93. Slip-knots.
95. Coward.
96. Artificial language.
97. Sacred song.

**DOWN**

1. Taste.
2. Expiated.
3. Exclamation of surprise.
4. A climber.
5. Casket for sacred utensils.
6. For instance.
7. Mug.
8. Sign of grief.
9. Charitable trust.
10. Worthless scrap.
11. Either.
12. Imbibes knowledge.
13. Serve scantily.
15. Waxes.
17. Camping necessities.
20. Mat.
22. Knot.
25. Anesthetics.
27. Exit.
29. Merit.
31. Kind.
33. Seasoning.
35. Security.
37. Pronoun.
39. Negative.
41. Dash; ardor in battle.
43. In the lead.
44. Top of the map.
46. Pastry.
47. Finish.
48. Tangle.
50. Compete.
51. Game.
52. Be under obligation.
54. Yawn.
55. Devourers.
56. Clerk in holy orders.
58. Heat producing substance.
59. Sport gathering.
60. Stair.
61. Twirled.
63. Half an em.
64. There.
65. Vast region of Central Africa.
66. Business of milk products.
68. Fixed quantity of yarn.
69. Glossy lacquer.
70. Organ knobs.
72. Salutation.
74. Antiquity.
76. Bottomless depth (poet.).
78. Knife.
79. One opposed.
81. A minim.
84. "As it is written" (mus.).
85. South (Fr.).
87. Goddess of the dawn.
90. Point of the compass.
92. Toward.
94. Samarium (chemical symbol).



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## PAYS TRIBUTE TO FRANCES WILLARD

**Central W.C.T.U. Honors Memory of Great Organizer—Known Throughout the World**

Memorial tribute was paid to Frances Willard by the members of the Central W.C.T.U., yesterday afternoon, at their meeting, which was held at the home of Mrs. William Grant, 304 Bay Street. A scriptural reading from Joshua iv was given by Mrs. Grant, as a token of high esteem of the wonderful leadership of Frances Willard, who died thirty-five years ago. She was responsible for extending W.C.T.U. work all over the world, fifty-nine stations being accounted for up until the time of her death.

"Leadership Triumphant" was a very interesting paper given by Mrs. C. Spofford, which was read for this occasion, as also was a portion of an address on "Labor Situation," which was given by Frances Willard in London, England, in 1877. This address was reminiscent of employment conditions of the present time. "Crept in With Mother," which was produced at the time of Frances Willard's death, was the solo rendered by Miss Rae Mason, Frances Willard being buried with her mother.

A collection was taken for the world mission work. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

## TOC H BRIDGE PARTY TO ASSIST WORKROOM

Reservations are steadily being received by Toc H League of Women Helpers for its bridge party, which is to take place at St. Mary's Hall tomorrow evening, beginning at 8 o'clock. The proceeds are to aid the Unemployed Women's Workroom, and it is hoped by the organizers that generous support will be given. Reservations may be made by telephoning Empire 8214 or Empire 9280. Players are asked to take their own cards.


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McLaren's Cream Cheese, plain or pimento, per packet 15¢
2 for 25¢
Ham Bologna, per lb. 15¢
Corned Beef, per lb. 18¢

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Our Special Back Bacon, sliced, lb., 20¢

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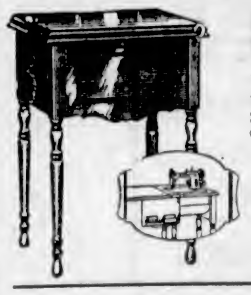

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All pure linen hand embroidered. In white only. These Handkerchiefs are of genuine Irish manufacture.
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## A Special in Women's Neckwear

Formerly to $1.95. Economy Day ..... **39c**
Organdie, Linen, Pique, Crepe de Chine and Lace Neckwear grouped for quick selling. Some very attractive values.
—Main Floor, HBC

## Economy Day Bargains in Men's Furnishings

**Men's Sweaters** in good looking coat styles, in blue and brown heather shades. With V neck and two pockets. Also Pullovers in fancy all-over patterns. Economy Day, each ..... $1.49

**Men's Khaki Shirts** Well made and roomy Shirts of strong twill, with collar attached and one pocket. Economy Day, each ..... 75¢

**Men's Wool Socks** in the new diamond check patterns, in shades of tan, grey and brown with contrast colorings. Economy Day, per pair ..... 69¢

**Men's Work Socks** in medium weight, ribbed knit and with reinforced heel and toe. Economy Day, per pair ..... 29¢
—Main Floor, HBC

## Boys' V-Neck Pullovers

Serviceable Pullovers of wool and cotton mixture in fancy all-over patterns. V-neck style. All sizes. Special for Economy Day ..... **69c**
—Main Floor, HBC

**Coffee Shoppe**

Special 30c Luncheon served daily 11 to 2. Salads, Sandwiches, Pastries, Soda Fountain Delicacies at popular prices.
—Lower Main Floor, HBC

# Hudson's Bay Company.

INCORPORATED 2ND MAY 1670.

**1,000 High School Exercise Books**

Containing 100 sheets of highest quality cream laid paper, ruled and margined. Special for Economy Day at ..... 2 for 15c
—Main Floor, HBC

# TODAY IS HBC ECONOMY DAY

## BRINGING SPECIAL SAVINGS IN ALL DEPARTMENTS

## An Economy Day Offering!

**15 "LYRIC"** Superheterodyne Radios

At the Extraordinarily Low Price of

**$79.50**

$7.95 Cash—$6.50 Monthly

So quickly did our last shipment of "Lyric" Radios sell that many people were disappointed. We have been fortunate in securing another fifteen, which will go on sale this morning again at this low price.

The "Lyric" Radio is manufactured by the famous Mohawk Radio Company of Toronto. It carries a full guarantee, and if within thirty days you do not find it entirely satisfactory, your money will be cheerfully refunded.

Equipped with Pentode and Multi-Mu Tubes, Tone Control, Full Vision Dial, Super Dynamic Speaker, Handsome Walnut Cabinet.
—Third Floor, HBC

## February Hosiery Sale Starts Today

Hundreds of Pairs of First Quality Silk Hose at Great Savings
Today, Friday and Saturday

We bought this Silk Hosiery at the "low ebb" of prices in January. Now, silk is advancing. Exchange on U.S. dollars is forcing manufacturers to raise their prices and our prices will have to advance, too. Buy your Silk Hosiery needs now at real savings—next month may be too late. Remember, every pair perfect! Every pair "dull" finished. Complete range of shades. All sizes 8½ to 10½.

**PICOT TOP SEMI-SERVICE**
Made from pure thread silk, full fashioned throughout, with lisle feet and garter welts for added wear. Perfectly finished hose, with picot tops and French heels ..... **79c**

**HEAVY-SERVICE-WEIGHT SILK**
For everyday street and sports wear, these Stockings will give the maximum wear and will hold their color and shape. Lisle tops and feet, picot edge, French heels ..... **1.29**

**HEAVY-WEIGHT SEMI-SERVICE**
Semi-service weight, just a little heavier than the ordinary semi. Lisle feet and welts. Picot tops and French heels. Exceptionally good appearance and very durable ..... **95c**

**SILK TOP, HEAVY SERVICE**
Silk-to-the-top, yet the garter welt is skillfully interlined with fine lisle for added wear. Very smart and beautifully finished. Will wear better than the ordinary heavy service. Feet of fine lisle. French heels ... **1.49**

## Here Are Economies Which Mothers Will Welcome

**150 Girls' Wool Frocks and Pantie Dresses**
Formerly to $3.95. Economy Day ..... **2.50**

Mothers will find unusual savings in this sale of Girls' Wool Frocks and Pantie Dresses never previously offered at this attractive pricing. In addition to a special purchase are included odd sizes and broken lines from regular stock. Materials include wool jerseys and serges, wool crepes, tweeds and tricotines. Sizes in the group from 2 to 14 years.

**Children's Odd Frocks**
A broken assortment in Girls' Craysheen, Voile and Broadcloth Frocks. Sizes in the assortment from 2 to 14 years. Formerly to $1.95. Economy Day ..... **1.00**

**36 Girls' Raincoats**
Serviceable fleece-lined Raglan style Raincoats, with belt and patch pockets. Colors are red, blue, green and brown; also black. Sizes in the assortment for 2 to 14 years. The smaller sizes have hat to match. Economy Day ..... **2.50**

**Children's Imported Pullovers**
In flat knit Botany wool with polo collar. In sand, saxe, red and blue. Sizes for 8 to 14 years. Economy Day, each ..... **1.69**

**Children's Wool Suits**
Here are 28 flat knit and wool ribbed two-piece suits, consisting of pullover with polo collar and knee pants. In assorted shades. Formerly to $2.95. Economy Day ..... **1.49**

—Second Floor, HBC

## Women's Craysheen Frocks

Fomerly to $2.95

Boken assortments of Women's Figured Craysheen and Printed Rayon Daytime Frocks in smart flared and straight-line styles; sleeveless or with short sleeves. Sizes in the group from 16 to 42. **1.69**

**60 Swiss Ribbed Combinations**
In wool or in flat knit silk and wool in knee length with built-up strap. Small, medium and large sizes. Ordinarily to $1.95. Economy Day ..... **1.39**

**Laderproof Rayon Slips**
Heavy quality, with built-up strap or opera top; also with lace trimming. In white and pastel shades, and in small, medium and large sizes. Economy Day, each ..... **98c**

**Oddments in Women's Silk Wear**
Formerly to $2.95. Economy Day ..... **1.00**
Broken assortments of Women's Queentex Silk Vests, Panties and Bloomers; also Women's Rayon Slips and Nightgowns in odd lines.

## 120 Rayon Bloomers and Panties

Ordinarily $1.00 Values

The greatest bargain we have offered this season in fine quality rayon undergarments. Dainty Contrasting and Motif-Trimmed Panties, Opera-Top Vests and Well-Made Bloomers. In white and pastel shades. **59c**

—Second Floor, HBC

### Exceptional Bargains in Used Pianos

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Heintzman, walnut | $195.00 | Bell, mahogany | $135.00 |
| Dominion, walnut | $195.00 | Mozart, mahogany | $198.00 |

$10.00 Down—$6.50 Monthly
—Third Floor, HBC

## February Sale of New Spring Suits

Today, Friday and Saturday

**8.95**

$12.95 and $15.00 Are What They Are Actually Worth at Today's Valuation

Just What You'll Need for Early Spring

As a matter of economy, you owe it to yourself to come and buy one of these smart up-to-date Tweed Suits. They are true copies of high-priced models, feauring jaunty hip-length jackets, single and double breasted; skirts which fit snugly at hipline with slight flare. Colors are brown, beige, blue, green and grey mixtures. Sizes 14 to 20. Only fifty Suits in the lot, so come and make an early choice.

## Celanese Crepe Frocks 4.95

Newest Styles—Most Popular Colors

Up-to-the-minute Focks for afternoon wear at little more than the price you would expect to pay for a house dress. The newesst style details are featured—bias-cut and flared skirts, new belts and buckles, new sleeves, new neck lines. Colors are brown, Spanish tile, new blues, new greens, also navy and black. Sizes 14 to 20, 16½ to 24½, and 36 to 40.

—Second Floor, HBC

### A Special Purchase of Girdles and Corselettes

Ordinarily to $5.50. Economy Day ..... **2.95**

Corselettes of broche material, with strong inner belt. Side-hooking and with a swami silk brassiere top. Sizes 34 to 42.

Swami-Top Corselettes of plain pink batiste. Perfect fitting garments for the slender and medium figures. Sizes 30 to 36.

Side-Hooking Girdles of beautiful peach brocade, with knitted elastic side sections. Sizes 24 to 30.

—Second Floor, HBC

### New Tweeds for Coats Suits and Dresses

Economy Day, Per Yard ..... **1.95**

Including Donegals, chonga, diagonals and flaked effects. Weights for dresses, suits and coats. A wonderful value that would be good at $2.95 a yard, but quite unusual at this Economy Day price.

—Main Floor, HBC

### New Dress Flannels

Economy Day, Per Yard ..... **1.49**

A full range of colors, including the new bright colors for Spring wear. Width, 54 inches.

—Main Floor, HBC

### Coat and Dress Flowers

Formerly to $2.95. Economy Day Special... **39c**

Sprays, single flowers and cluster styles in a wide choice of colors. These are charming and Spring-like in effect.

—Main Floor, HBC

### REMNANTS Of Staples

Including Flannelettes, Cantons, Unbleached Cottons, Sheetings and other household needs in useful lengths. All clearing Economy Day at

**Half Price**

**Heavy White and Colored Bath Towels**
A 75c value in soft spongy Towels that will wear and dry well. Approximate size 25 x 48 inches. Each ..... **49c**

**Unbleached Sheetings**
80 Inches wide. Sheets hemmed free of charge from this sturdy sheeting. Per yard ..... **39c**

**Colored Linen Damask Sets**
In soft pastel colors of blue, green, rose and gold. Sizes 54 x 54 inches, 59 x 59 inches, and 54 x 70 inches, and six Napkins. Values to $5.95. Per set ..... **3.95**

**Fine Sheets**
Made from a fine textured cotton that we recommend for long wear. Sizes 70 x 99 inches and 80 x 99 inches. Per pair ..... **2.95**

**Extra Large White Flannelette Blankets**
Made longer than the ordinary blanket, and whipped singly, which is an advantage. In all white. Size 70 x 90 inches. Per pair ..... **2.59**

**Krinklette Bedspreads**
Attractive and excellent wearing Bedspreads in colored krinkle effects of rose, blue, green, gold and mauve. Sizes 72 x 100 inches and 80 x 100 inches. Each ..... **1.69**

—Main Floor, HBC

## 200 New Spring Hats

**For Economy Day Shoppers** **2.95**

You will be interested in the effective rough straws of many weaves; also the smooth straws in either bright or dull finish. The sailor brim of 1932 is most alluring and we are showing many versions. There are many large head sizes. Black, navy, marine, brown and new bright tones.

**25 SMART NEW STRAW AND FELT TURBANS AND BERET HATS** at **1.00**

**FINE FUR FELTS** Black and Colors. Clearing at **95c**

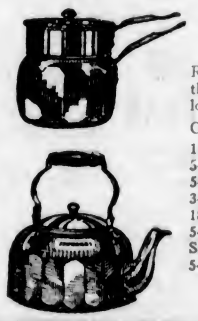
—Second Floor, HBC

## 200 Women's Home Frocks

All fine quality tub-fast prints, with figured or floral or polka dot patterns, and made in flared and straight line styles; sleeveless or with short sleeves. They are trimmed with organdie or broadcloth. There are ten smart styles from which to choose, and in the group are all sizes from 14 to 52. Ordinarily $1.50. **1.00**

—Second Floor, HBC

## 99% Pure Aluminumware



Heavy quality. Highly polished. Choice of eight different pieces **79c**

Replace those worn out pots and pans with this bright new aluminumware. At this special low price you can afford to buy the whole set.

Choose from
10-Inch Round Double Roasters
5-Quart Potato Pots
5-Quart Convex Kettles
3-Pint Daisy Tea Kettles
18-Inch Baking Sheets
5-Quart Convex Saucepans
Set of 3-Lipped Saucepans, 1, 2 and 3-Quart
5-Quart Straight Saucepans

—Third Floor, HBC

**3-Pint Tin Kettles**
For quick boiling. Economy Day ..... **35c**

**Galvanized Wash Tubs**
Large size, fitted with wringer rests. Economy Day, each ..... **$1.49**

**Parchment Lamp Shades**
In floral and conventional designs with clip fitting; 8-inch diameter. Economy Day, each ..... **20¢**

**Household Scissors**
All sizes in Steel Scissors for household use. Economy Day, per pair, **15¢**

**Claw Hammers**
Of forged steel and fully guaranteed. Fitted with selected handles. Economy Day, each ..... **89¢**

—Third Floor, HBC

### Economy Bargains in Open Stock Breakfast Sets

English semi-porcelain by Myott & Johnson; 32-piece sets, all open stock. Colonial white and gold ..... $3.95
Orion pattern ..... $4.75
Trafalgar ..... $5.50
Blue Willow ..... $5.95

Ivory Fireproof Bakers or Pie Dishes. Oval shape; 5 and 6-inch. Each ..... **19c**

—Third Floor, HBC

## Boys' Packard Oxfords

Ordinarily $4.50

"Just like dad's." Made with just as much style and with just as much care. Semi-brogue style, in brown calf with strong Goodyear welt soles and rubber heels. Sizes 11 to 13½ and 1 to 5½. A saving of $1.50 a pair. **2.98**

—Main Floor, HBC

# COMMERCIALS WIN SENIOR BASKETBALL TITLE

## *Suburban Basketballers Enjoying Great Season*

### Teams in Newly Formed Loop Having Successful Year—Premier Tolmie Donates Handsome Trophy—Executive Congratulated

**With the close of the basketball season not far away in the suburban district, a brief summary of the activities in the newly-formed Saanich and Suburban League shows that the game has taken a great leap towards the top. The loop, started early in the season by a handful of men interested in the game, now has 264 men and women players in action, which is a record to be proud of.**

Comprised of teams from Colwood, Luxton, Keating, Lake Hill, Royal Oak and West Road, the league is well supported in the various districts and is in fine financial standing today. The class of ball played during the games is of a high standard, and Saanich and other districts boast of several victories over many of the city's best, Buyats, first half champions of the senior "A" city league, having tasted three defeats at the hands of West Road and Keating quintettes.

West Road coasted through the senior "B" city league schedule without a defeat, and will journey to Duncan tomorrow evening in quest of the Vancouver Island championship. Keating won the city senior "C" title a few seasons ago and since have graduated to senior "B."

**PRESENTS TROPHY**

At the present time, the various squads are battling through a series for a handsome piece of silverware donated by Hon. Dr. S. F. Tolmie, Premier of the Province. In the intermediate division, teams are competing in another series for another trophy, while the girls' teams are enjoying a great season.

Great credit for the way the league is run and its success goes out to the following officers, who have worked untiringly, day and night, for the benefit of the large list of clubs, President, W. Quick; vice-president, C. W. Robinson, and Percy Reeve, hard-working secretary.

At the end of the season, the executive is planning a great finale for the teams with a monster dance and presentation of trophies to the winning squads at a hall to be named later.

## NAVY DOWNS C.P.R. AND TAKES LEAD

### Score 4-0 Victory Over Railwaymen to Jump Into First Berth

### GEDDES TURNS IN FINE PERFORMANCE

**LEAGUE STANDING**

| | W. | L. | D. | F. | A. | P. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Navy | 3 | 1 | 0 | 18 | 4 | 6 |
| Hudson's Bay | 2 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 3 | 5 |
| Garrison | 1 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 3 |
| Saanich United | 1 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 4 | 2 |
| C.P.R. | 0 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 27 | 0 |

**Scoring two goals in each half, Navy jumped into first place in the Pendray Cup race of the Wednesday Football League yesterday afternoon at Royal Athletic Park by chalking up a 4-0 victory over the C.P.R. Ragged football featured the game which was uninteresting from start to finish. The win puts the sailors in front of Hudson's Bay by a point.**

C.P.R. showed a reversal of form from last week when they held the departmentals to a 3-1 score. Navy did all the pressing and ga e Geddes plenty of work in the C.P.R. goal. Geddes turned in a fine performance and must have stopped at least sixty shots. Twenty minutes after the start, Walker worked through the railwaymen's back division for the first goal and beat Geddes with a well directed drive from close range.

Navy kept up the pressure and Grierson scored just before the interval. Reidweg, C.P.R. fullback, was injured and carried off the field, but returned to play in the second half after receiving first aid. The score was 2-0 at the intermission.

Five minutes after the second half started, Bruce Robinson tested Geddes with a rifle drive, and the C.P.R. goalie made a wonderful save. Navy bombarded the C.P.R. net from all angles, and Geddes was the busiest man on the field for the remainder of the game. Jim Cosier scored the prettiest goal of the fixture late in the second half when he tricked his way through C.P.R.'s back division and drove a hard shot to the corner well out of Geddes' reach. Just before the whistle, Robinson's long shot got away from Geddes for the final goal.

Hewison refereed and the teams follow:

Navy — Zanelli, Hibbert, Hall, Roberts, Robinson, Cockerill, Wilson, Grierson, Walker, Sadler and Cosier.

C.P.R.—Geddes, Clarke, Reidweg, Gelling, G. Southern, J. McLellan, Robertson, Rawnsley, Johnson, Welkan and J. Robertson.

## OTTAWA DOWNS CHAMPS EASILY

### Olympic Hockey Titleholders Lose to Former European Tourists by 4-1 Score

OTTAWA, Feb. 17 (CP).—Outplayed in practically every department of the game, Winnipegs, Canada's world's champion amateur hockey team, went down to defeat here tonight before a team of Ottawa all-stars by a score of 4-1. The local squad had as its nucleus the line-up that recently returned from a successful European tour, during the course of which they went undefeated in thirty-four matches.

## LEACH SIGNS WITH NEW YORK GIANTS

NEW YORK, Feb. 17 (AP).—The New York Giants' holdout troubles were reduced further today with the receipt of Freddie Leach's signed contract.

The Western outfielder's decision leaves only two regulars, First Baseman Bill Terry and Pitcher Fred Fitzsimmons, on the unsigned list.

## *Helene Madison Smashes Record For 600 Yards*

SEATTLE, Feb. 17 (AP).—Helene Madison, sensational Seattle woman swimmer, captured another American short course record here tonight when she torpedoed through 600 yards in the Washington Athletic Club in 7 mins. 53 2-5 secs. The former mark of 7 mins. 59 secs. was held by Martha Norelius, New York.

Jack Medica, Seattle, won the right to represent the Northwest at the National Junior A.A.U. tournament when he captured the 500-yard free style event in record-breaking time. Medica covered the distance in 5 mins. 55 1-5 secs., shattering the junior mark of 6 mins. 1 3-5 secs., held by Jimmy Gilhula, Detroit.

## *Duncan Ramblers Down Westholme In Easy Fashion*

DUNCAN, Feb. 17. — Duncan Ramblers scored an easy win over Westholme on the former's badminton courts here last night by a score of 8-0. Results follow:

**Women's Doubles**

Mrs. Thorpe and Miss M. Burkholder beat Mrs. Bailey and Mrs. Sunderland, 15-3.

Miss A. Burkholder and Miss H. Mains beat Mrs. Pearce and Miss Hamilton, 15-6.

**Men's Doubles**

Thorpe and A. Burkholder beat Kendall and Devitt, 15-13.

E. Burkholder and Gregory beat Iken and Pearce, 15-8.

**Mixed Doubles**

Miss M. Burkholder and Thorpe beat Mrs. Sunderland and Devitt, 15-4.

Miss Mains and E. Burkholder beat Mrs. Bailey and Kendle, 15-2.

Mrs. Thorpe and A. Burkholder beat Mr. and Mrs. Pearce, 15-2.

Miss A. Burkholder and Gregory beat Miss Hamilton and Iken, 15-0.

## CHURCHMEN AND Y.M.C.A. DRAW

**Christ Church No. 2 Squad Rally to Gain 8-8 Deadlock in Badminton League**

Winning five out of the eight matches in the mixed doubles, Christ Church No. 2 squad gained an 8-8 draw against Y.M.C.A. last night on the latter's courts in the Third Division of the Lower Island Badminton League. Y.M.C.A. won all the women's doubles but dropped three out of four in the men's doubles.

Scores, with Y.M.C.A. players first mentioned, follow:

**Women's Doubles**

Misses Severs and Hickey defeated Misses Simpson and Boggs, 18-14.

Misses Severs and Hickey defeated Mrs. Simpson and Miss Redding, 15-3.

Misses Warnock and Marquart defeated Mrs. Simpson and Miss Redding, 15-3.

Misses Warnock and Marquart defeated Miss Simpson and Miss Boggs, 15-11.

**Men's Doubles**

Witter and Slocomb lost to McQuade and Taylor, 6-15.

Witter and Slocomb defeated Wallace and Simpson, 15-7.

Humphries and Martin lost to Wallace and Simpson, 8-15.

Humphries and Martin lost to McQuade and Taylor, 1-15.

**Mixed Doubles**

Miss Warnock and Witter defeated Mr. and Mrs. Simpson, 15-12.

Miss Warnock and Witter defeated Taylor and Miss Boggs, 15-10.

Miss Severs and Slocomb lost to Taylor and Miss Boggs, 9-15.

Miss Severs and Slocomb defeated Mr. and Mrs. Simpson, 15-11.

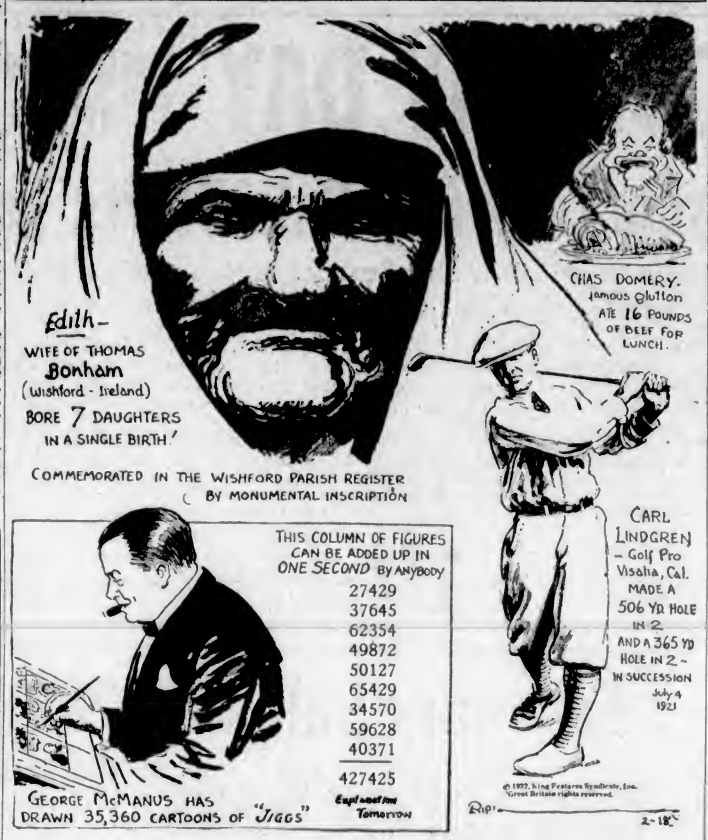
Miss Hickey and Humphries lost to McQuade and Miss Simpson, 4-15.

Miss Hickey and Humphries lost to Wallace and Miss Redding, 11-15.

Miss Marquart and Martin lost to Wallace and Miss Redding, 11-15.

Miss Marquart and Martin lost to McQuade and Miss Simpson, 5-15.

## *BELIEVE IT OR NOT* - - - - - - - *By Ripley*




EXPLANATION FOR YESTERDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON

**The Ship That Is Lightened by Its Load**—The maximum light-water draft of the Mayflower is 17 feet 7 9-16 inches, while its load-water draft is 17 feet 6 11-16 inches. The reasons for this anomalous condition is that the aft end is the lowest point on the keel of the famous yacht. A full load (water, fuel and stores) tends to depress the forward end. The vessel pivots on the central portion with the result that the loaded ship displaces less water than when it is unloaded.

Please address all queries to Cartoonist Ripley, c/o King Features, New York City, N.Y.

## TOM TOTHILL KEEPS TITLE

### Defeats Peake Four Games to Three to Retain Snooker Crown

VANCOUVER, Feb. 17.—Tom Tothill, professional English billiards champion of Canada, won the final in the British Columbia snooker tournament here tonight, defeating Tom Peake, of Vancouver, four games to three. Last night Peake won two games and Tothill one, and tonight Peake won one and Tothill three. The deciding game was won by Tothill by a score of 50 to 49.

Tothill will leave here February 23 for Edmonton, where he will meet the Alberta champion, the winner of which will travel East for the Dominion finals.

Tuesday night Tothill won the first game, 88 to 9, Peake winning the next two, 61-59, 52-47. Tonight Tothill won the first game, 67-43; the second, 75-35; lost the third, 42-79, and won the fourth, 50-49.

## PAYMENT EASES WALKOUT THREAT

**Difficulty of Cashing Seattle Street Railway Pay Warrants May Now Be Removed**

SEATTLE, Feb. 17 (AP).—Semi-annual interest amounting to $208,400 on the balance of the $8,336,000 still outstanding on the Municipal Street Railway purchase price, was paid today by the city, easing still further the threat of a strike.

An additional $77,740 interest is due on March 1 on railway extension bonds, floated since the railway purchase in 1919. Daily street car revenues have been impounded since February 1 to meet the payments, and City Treasurer H. L. Collier estimated the amount due March 1 would be raised. After that time daily revenues will be available for railway salaries and expense warrants.

Issue of the warrants and inability to cash them had caused the employees to threaten a walkout. There still was some difficulty in obtaining cash on the salary warrants, and union officials were to meet with Mayor Robert Harlin and clearing house representatives in the hope of relief.

## NANAIMO BOWLING

NANAIMO, Feb. 17.—On the local bowling alleys last evening in the Commercial League, the Colonist won three games from the Gangsters, with J. Robertson, of Colonist, high score with 257, and E. Rogers, of Gangsters, high average with 226.

In the Women's League, Capitols won two games from the Rainbows with D. Marsh, Capitols, high score with 200, and her teammate, Jennie Deeming, high average with 179.

Eagles won three games from Bayview with D. Caldwell, of Eagles, high average with 211 and high score with 224.

In the City League, Balmorals took three games from the General Auto Sales with J. Barbori, Balmorals, high score with 202 and C. Akenhead, his teammate, high average with 170.

## Wednesday Eliminated In Cup Ties

### First Division Contenders Defeated by Chelsea Eleven, 2-0

LONDON, Feb. 17 (CP).—Chelsea won their replayed game in the fifth round of the English Football Association Cup competition from Sheffield Wednesday today at Stamford Bridge, 2 to 0. Miller scored both goals, one in each half. Chelsea plays at Liverpool in the sixth round on February 27.

Today's replay was made necessary when the clubs played a one-all draw at Sheffield last Saturday.

Other results follow:

**English League—First Division**

Arsenal 4, Grimsby Town 0.

Derby County 3, West Bromwich Albion 1.

Huddersfield Town 1, Middlesbrough 1.

Newcastle United 3, Bolton Wanderers 1.

Portsmouth 2, Birmingham 1.

**Second Division**

Bradford 1, Preston North End 5.

Bury 0, Bradford City 2.

Manchester United 5, Burnley 1.

**Third Division—Southern Section**

Watford 1, Crystal Palace 2.

**Scottish League—First Division**

Motherwell 4, Morton 2.

**Rugby Union**

Bristol 5, Oxford University 10.

## BILLIARDS

Britannia "C" captured two games in the "C" Division of the Interservice Billiard League by taking Pro Patria and T.V.A. into camp. The winners downed Pro Patria, 438-393, and the T.V.A., 482-442.

Scores follow:

| T.V.A. | | Britannia "C-2" | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tonkin | 117 | J. Cormier | 125 |
| R. Lee | 82 | T. Timmins | 123 |
| J. Robert | 125 | S. Davidson | 107 |
| F. Kirby | 118 | P. Payne | 125 |
| Total | 442 | Total | 482 |
| **Pro Patria "B"** | | **Britannia Br. "C-3"** | |
| A. Doble | 87 | J. Watt | 125 |
| A. Brown | 125 | T. Obee | 63 |
| A. Rogers | 82 | T. Plump | 125 |
| W. Talbot | 99 | D. Croston | 125 |
| Total | 393 | Total | 438 |

## *Four Champions Reach Semis in Florida Tourney*

PALM BEACH, Fla., Feb. 17 (AP).—Four bright stars of America's golfing contingent, including Helen Hicks, the national women's champion, clash here tomorrow in the semi-final of the Florida women's championship.

Miss Hicks, who has two legs on the trophy by virtue of previous victories, meets Mrs. H. D. Sterrett, Hutchinson, Kas., in one bracket, while Edith Quier, Reading, Pa., the medalist, faces Maureen Orcutt, sterling Eastern golfer. Miss Orcutt led the group on the outgoing nine today, carding a brilliant 36. She defeated Mrs. W. M. Ferris, Boston, 6 and 5

## SWISS SLEDMAN GAINS REVENGE

**Capadrutt Captures North American Title After Losing Olympic Championship**

LAKE PLACID, N.Y., Feb. 17 (AP).—Reto Capadrutt, 120-pound bundle of Swiss courage and daring, got his revenge today on Hubert Stevens for the heartbreaking loss of an Olympic championship.

Driving through a sleet storm on a track slowed by overnight snow, the nineteen-year-old university student put together runs of 2 mins. 7.98 secs., and 2 mins. 6.79 secs., to beat Stevens for the North American championship. It closed the post-Olympic bobsled programme.

Stevens, one of four local bobsledding brothers, made two phenomenal runs under two minutes in the last two heats of the Olympic two-man championships, to cut down a four-second margin Capadrutt held going into the final day. Today, with only two heats deciding the championship, the young Swiss came down in front and stayed there.

His total was 4 mins. 14.77 secs. Stevens' total was 4 mins. 25.30 secs.

Harry Homburger, who piloted his Saranac Lake "Red Devils" to their second straight North American four-man championship yesterday after finishing second to Billy Fiske's team in the Olmypic competition, took third place with 4 mins. 27.08 secs.

The rest of the six teams running today finished far back.

Lieut. Al. Panana, Rumanian driver, decided not to run today, and two other foreign drivers, the Germans, Werner Huth and Hans Fillan, withdrew.

## SECOND ROUND OF DAVIE CUP SOCCER TO OPEN SATURDAY

Second round cup matches of the junior soccer series for Saturday follow:

Esquimalt vs. Victoria City at Victoria West Park. Referee, Bundock.

Oaklands vs. Saanich Thistles at Spencer's Park. Referee, Lindrum.

Jokers vs. Y.M.C.A. at Hampton Road. Referee, Brigden.

Royal Oak vs. Duncan at Reynolds Road. Referee, Windsor.

**NANAIMO SPORT**

NANAIMO, Feb. 17.—Last night in the Canadian Legion Hall, Chapel Street, a selected team of the Ancient Order of Foresters played the Canadian Legion at carpet bowling and cribbage.

The cribbage match was remarkable for the close score cards turned in. The winning card was 687 points. Next came two cards with 678 each, then 665, 663 and 624. The aggregate score gave the Foresters the edge, 2,021 against 1,974 for the Legion.

In the carpet bowling, the score was, Canadian Legion 10, Ancient Order of Foresters 6.

**FIRST LIPTON SHOP CLOSED**

After sixty years of activity, the first shop to be opened in Glasgow, Scotland, by Sir Thomas Lipton has been closed. The shop was started by Lipton with a slender capital on his twenty-first birthday after his visit to America. Lipton ran it personally, sleeping under the counter at night. The business was transferred to other Lipton branches.

## *Colwood Course To Be Open for Winter Golfers*

ENTRANTS for the Empress Midwinter golf tournament will have plenty of time to practise for the tournament next week. On Friday and Saturday the course will be open to women, and on Saturday and Sunday men will have their chance of learning the whereabouts of the hazards on this difficult inland course.

## SIX WINNIPEG PLAYERS WILL APPEAR HERE

### Three Couples Entered in Midwinter Golf Meet at Colwood Course

### OUTSIDE LIST IS GROWING RAPIDLY

**Three Winnipeg couples, Mr. and Mrs. Inman Salberg, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Balfour and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Arnold, today entered the lists for the fourth annual Empress Midwinter golf tournament, which opens at Royal Colwood here Monday and continues to February 27.**

**Mrs. Salberg is president of the Manitoba Women's Golf Association and one of Winnipeg's outstanding women players. Mr. and Mrs. Balfour both were entered in the third annual Empress tournament at Oak Bay last year and are again seeking the E. W. Beatty Championship Trophy.**

About twenty Vancouver entrants and nearly as many from Seattle will assist Victoria in defending Pacific Coast laurels against Eastern Canadian and Prairie invaders. Toronto will carry the Eastern banner, with Stanley Thompson, internationally known player and golf course architect, heading a band of four, including Brad Heintzman, one of Ontario's crack linksmen and present champion of Lambton Club, Syd Duggan and Art Davies.

The women's division of the popular international meet looks particularly interesting this year, with two former Pacific Coast champions, Mrs. Vera Hutchings, of Shaughnessy, Vancouver, and Mrs. H. O. Young, of Seattle, opposing Victoria's best, headed by Mrs. R. F. Jackson and Miss Helen Wilson, defender of the Beatty Trophy.

## CENTRAL SWAMPS GEORGE JAY, 59-0

**Start in Defence of The Colonist Cup With One-Sided Win in First of Rugby Series**

**Crashing through for tries every few minutes, Boys' Central started in defence of The Colonist Cup Tuesday afternoon, at the Royal Athletic Park, by scoring a 59-0 victory over George Jay in the first game of the series for the school Rugby championship of the city. Tomorrow afternoon, on the same grounds, at 4 o'clock, Boys' Central will stack up against Oaklands in the second fixture.**

Using their weight to great advantage, Central had little difficulty in defeating George Jay. The winners outweighed their opponents man for man and outplayed them in practically every department of the game. In the opening minutes, Barker secured the ball from the scrum, tossed to Minnie, who drew the defence out and then passed to Noakes, who scored with nobody near him. From then on it was just a general parade over George Jay's line for scores. Noakes scored a few minutes later and then scores in quick succession by MacDonald, Wallace, Noakes and McAdams brought Central's margin to 20-0 at half-time.

Minnie ran the length of the field for the first try of the second half for a fine piece of individual work. With the forwards heeling well and playing an all-round fine game, scores were added by L. Noakes, Minnie, Thorsen, MacDonald and Wallace before the whistle sounded.

## FRISCH AFTER MORE SALARY

**Captain of St. Louis Cardinals Wants More Pay and Delays Signing**

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 17 (AP).—Frank Frisch, captain and star second baseman of the world champion Cards, and "most valuable player" in the National League last season, has been asked to take a reduction in salary for 1932 and has delayed signing a contract.

Frisch, from his home in New York, today wired the St. Louis Post Dispatch in reply to a telegraphic inquiry:

"Received a reduction in salary. Have not signed as yet."

Frisch, the highest-paid Cardinal player, receives a reputed salary of $18,000 to $20,000. Rumors put the amount of the proposed cut at $5,000.

Two other Card regulars have held off signing, pending discussion of salary terms. They are Outfielder Chick Hafey, who led the league in batting in 1931, and Shortstop Charley Gelbert.

## TROUNCE BUYATS BY 36-20 SCORE AFTER BRILLIANT DISPLAY

### Deadly Long-Distance Shooting and Fast Combination Gives Commercials Championship Before Packed Gymnasium—To Meet Nanaimo for Island Title—Beavers Win Honors

### *Green Mill Loses to Saanich But Win Island Series, 66-63*

**Flashing the same brilliant form which carried them into the provincial final last season, Commercials captured the senior "A" championship of the Victoria and District Basketball League last night at the Victoria High School gymnasium by defeating Buyats, 36-20, in the third and final game of the play-off series. One of the largest crowds of the year packed the gymnasium to capacity. Commercials will now start after the Vancouver Island and British Columbia titles. They will clash with Nanaimo for the Island honors in a two-game series, total points to count. Beavers captured the intermediate "A" city title by downing Y.M.C.A. in the opening battle, 38-12, and Green Mill earned the right to meet Duncan in the Lower Island final of the senior "C" division by winning the round from Saanich, 66-63, although they lost last night, 27-26.**

Opening at a terrific pace, Buyats went into an early lead and looked as if they were going to take the Commercials for a ride. McKenzie tossed in the first basket from the side, and Bissell rang the hoop from the same position. Shepherd and Cudlip sent through two beautiful long shots, and the Buyats were leading at the end of the first five minutes, 8-1. Shepherd and Bissell both had two fouls against them at this stage.

**TAKE LEAD**

Seven points down, Commercials cut loose with some of the finest combination and shooting seen at the gym this season. Engleson went in close to score Commercials' first field goal, and Art Chapman looped the hoop for another.

"Chuck" Chapman sped down the side of the floor and tied the score with one of the prettiest baskets of the game. Commercials went into the lead on Art Chapman's free shot and held it to the final whistle. C. Chapman took a pass from Ross, worked to position, and tossed in a long basket. Engleson increased his team's lead with one under the hoop, and then took a lightning pass from M. Patrick and caged another from the side. Bissell and Shepherd had their third foul marked against them for rough play. Commercials held a 16-8 lead at the interval.

Setting a terrific pace, which their opponents wilted under, Commercials increased their lead shortly after the start of the last session with the Chapman brothers, Engleson and Muzz Patrick throwing in baskets from all angles. Bissell went off on four personals for fouling Art Chapman. Buyats fought hard during the opening minutes of this canto and had the score standing 18-14 once, but this is as near as they ever came to overtaking their opponents. Cudlip and C. Chapman nearly came to blows, but both were severely warned by the referee. Shepherd joined Bissell on the side lines for committing his fourth foul.

As the game was nearing an end, Buyats were continually fouling when there was no need of it. Ten points each by Art and "Chuck" Chapman and Harold Engleson featured the scoring for the winners, while Cudlip and McKenzie garnered six each for Buyats. Ross, Little and C. Chapman turned in fine performances on the defence.

Teams follow:

Commercials — Craig, Jones, A. Chapman (10), Engleson (10), C. Chapman (10), M. Patrick (5), Ross, Little (1).

Buyats — Cudlip (6), McDonald, Caddell (2), Forbes (1), Shepherd (2), L. Patrick, Brown (1), McKenzie (6), Bissell (2).

**CAFEMEN GO UNDER**

Although they went down to a 27-26 defeat at the hands of Saanich, Green Mill earned the right to clash with Duncan in the Lower Island senior "C" final by taking the two-game series 66-63. The cafemen won the first game at Saanichton 40-36, thereby winning the round by three points.

Brilliant marksmanship by "Porky" Williams and Billy Hill, fast working forward, coupled with a strong defence put up by Passmore and Woods, Green Mill held a 16-8 lead at the intermission. Williams caged nine and Hill seven, all of their team's points in the first half.

A fine exhibition of long shooting at the start of the last half by Maurice Atkinson, Saanich forward, pulled the visitors from behind to give them the lead after seven minutes of fast basketball, 23-20, one point behind on the series. Atkinson caged five baskets in rapid time and sent the crowd into a frenzy. Twenty seconds from time Saanich held a one-point lead, the score being 27-26, but the whistle sent their chances of entering the final into the air.

Teams follow:

Green Mill—Jones, Smith, Williams (11), Baker (2), Hill (11), Petticrew, Passmore, Woods.

Saanich—S. Bates (4), M. Atkinson (14), W. Bates, Michell (4), Marchant, Cunningham (5), Styan, F. Atkinson.

**WIN HONORS**

Piling up a ten-point lead at the end of the first period, Beavers played a dazzling brand of basketball during the last half to cop the intermediate championship. Playing a strong game, both on the defence and offence, Beavers held a 12-2 lead at the halfway mark. Passing the ball with lightning speed and shooting with deadly accuracy from angles, Beavers ran roughshod over Y.M.C.A. in the last period.

Beavers held the "Y" to two baskets in the last half, while they registered eleven. Gordie Moore, with ten, Goldsmith and Fraser with eight, headed the scorers for the winners, while Wally Stipe with five was top man for the "Y."

Tommy Macedo and Alan Le Marquand handled the game and teams follow:

Beavers—Dixon (1), Fraser (8), Moore (10), Tubman (4), McDonald (6), Preston, Goldsmith (8), Levy (1).

Y.M.C.A.—Bradley (3), G. Fields, Stipe (5), Harding, Martin, A. Fields (3), Thompson, Riddle (1).

## KILMARNOCK WINS FROM DUNDEE, 3-0

### Replay Scottish Cup Soccer Match Ends in One-Sided Score

GLASGOW, Feb. 17 (CP).—Kilmarnock today entered the fourth round of the Scottish Football Association Cup competition by winning a replay from the third round from Dundee United, 3 to 0. The match was played at Kilmarnock.

Draw for the fourth round of the Scottish Football Association Cup competition was made today and announced as follows:

Airdrie vs. Partick Thistle.
Clyde vs. Hamilton Academicals.
Dunfermline vs. Kilmarnock.
Rangers vs. Motherwell.

The matches will be played on the grounds of the first-mentioned clubs on March 5.

## PROMINENT NET FIGURE PASSES

**Louis B. Dailey Dies Following Slight Illness—Conflicted With Tilden**

NEW YORK, Feb. 17 (AP).—Amateur tennis lost one of its most prominent figures today with the death of Louis B. Dailey, former president of the United States Lawn Tennis Association at Orange, N.J., Memorial Hospital. Dailey, who was fifty-six, became ill with a severe cold a week ago. Double pneumonia developed and caused his death.

He was president of the U.S.L.T.A. in 1930 and for several years prior to that actively connected with tennis in the East. He had frequent verbal conflicts with "Big Bill" Tilden when the latter was this country's leading amateur. He was long known as an outstanding and outspoken "progressive" in tennis affairs.

## *Levinsky and Dempsey Will Meet Tonight*

CHICAGO, Feb. 17 (AP).—Jack Dempsey comes back to a Chicago ring tomorrow night to risk his pugilistic future against wild swinging King Levinsky.

Dempsey, at thirty-seven, a seeker of the truth about his chances of regaining the world heavyweight title, and Levinsky, twenty-one years old, cocksure and believing he is going somewhere, will meet in what is billed as a four-round exhibition at the Chicago Stadium. There will be no decision, but neither thinks the other will be on his feet at the finish.

## *Maccabees Win Vancouver Ice Championship*

VANCOUVER, Feb. 17.—Maccabees handed Varsity a 6-3 trimming in a hockey game at the Arena at noon today to cinch the championship of the Vancouver Intermediate League, thus earning the right to travel to Merritt for games on Saturday and Monday in the provincial title series.

Just what opposition will be furnished for the Vancouver champions at Merritt will not be decided until Prince George and Merritt settle their argument finally on Thursday night.

News item: Wife scolds husband because he comes in late. He overcomes this—doesn't come in.

# CANADIENS DEFEAT HAWKS TO TAKE FIRST PLACE

## *Flying Frenchmen Whip Chicago 3-1 To Win Top Berth*

### Habitants Go Out in Front of Canadian Section of National Hockey League by Victory Over Hawks—LaRochelle Stars in Canadiens' Fine Win Over Black Hawks

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 17 (AP).—Canadiens, of Montreal, capped their great drive tonight by defeating the Chicago Black Hawks 3 to 1 and taking first place in the Canadian Division of the National Hockey League race.

The Flying Frenchmen won almost as they pleased tonight. They ran up two goals in the first period, added another in the third, saw the Hawks score their only tally and then went on the defensive.

Larochelle was the scoring ace for Canadiens tonight.

**Line-Ups**

Canadiens—Hainsworth; S. Mantha, Burke; Morenz; Joliat, Gagnon. Subs: Mondou, Wasnie, Leduc, Lepine, Larochelle, Munro, M. Mantha, Lesieur.

Chicago—Gardiner; Abel, Graham; Cook; Thompson, March. Subs: Bostrom, Couture, Lowrey, Holmes, Wentworth, Gottselig, Boucher, Coulter.

Officials: Goodman and Hewitson.

**Summary**

First Period—Canadiens, Larochelle (Mondou-Lepine), 7:26; 2, Canadiens, Larochelle (Lepine), 7:59. Penalties: Boucher, March, Mondou.

Second Period—No score. No penalties.

Third Period—3, Canadiens, Leduc (Gagnon), :05; 4, Chicago, Gottselig (Abel), :20. Penalty: S. Mantha.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**COMMERCIAL FIVEPIN LEAGUE**
**Section "A"**

**Aztecs**—C. Topp, 476; R. Stokes, 454; B. Maze, 436; B. Lemm, 415; low score, 461; handicap, 300. Total, 2,874.

**Standard Steam Laundry**—Clyde Savage, 672; Carl Rodway, 552; Irvine Ward, 491; Harry Savage, 620; Charlie Savage, 551; handicap, 12. Total, 2,896.

Standard Laundry won two.

**Speccerlans**—F. Harper, 464; J. Caldwell, 484; R. Humphries, 470; H. Bean, 563; low score, 254; handicap, 270. Total, 2,605.

**Rennie & Taylor**—J. Maxwell, 523; J. Bantly, 500; L. Greenwood, 618; W. Rennie, 256; F. Aldridge, 279; J. Taylor, 259; handicap, 300. Total, 2,747.

Rennie & Taylor won two.

**Greer's Men's Wear**—K. Stewart, 606; V. J. Haines, 567; H. Moulton, 492; W. Metcalfe, 651; low score, 427; handicap, 120. Total, 3,003.

**Alert Service Co.**—F. Tyrrell, 606; G. Bergstrom, 521; G. Baker, 462; G. Bodwell, 354; A. Ferguson, 546; R. Williams, 124, handicap, 300. Total, 2,935.

Alert Service Co. won two.

**Fernwood Rangers**—J. Waters, 551; H. Butterfe, 432; H. S. Hewitt, 505; J. Green, 528; A. Knight, 444; handicap, 243. Total, 2,661.

**New Method Laundries**—S. Swetnam, 485; W. Jones, 610; E. Collier, 461; R. Lamb, 654; A. Dunderdale, 614; handicap, 291. Total, 2,615.

New Method Laundries won three.

**McDonald's Tilers**—L. Williams, 514; T. Abercrombie, 121; T. McDonald, 424; P. Sherritt, 472; F. Middleton, 618; T. Gibson, 359; handicap, 251. Total, 2,859.

**Times**—Donaldson, 593; Caddell, 183; Shields, 265; Lawson, 566; Jealous, 616; Colton, 550; handicap, 262. Total, 3,059.

Times won three.

**CIVIL SERVICE FIVEPIN LEAGUE**
**(Men)**

**Lands**—R. Tuthill, 443; H. Cameues, 427; H. Tomalin, 491; W. Holmen, 446; A. Walls, 704. Total, 2,314.

**Comp-Off**—H. McCaw, 586; H. Anderson, 501; D. Foster, 515; D. McDiarmid, 581; J. Bacon, 530. Total, 2,693.

Comp-Off won two.

**Treasury**—T. Mayne, 499; G. Peel, 409; V. Critchley, 512; C. Davies, 536; Les Clarke, 400. Total, 2,349.

**Cruisers**—H. J. Hodgins, 106; G. S. Andrews, 584; G. H. Barnes, 566; M. W. Gormisy, 462; W. A. Johnson, 461; B. Griffiths, 373. Total, 2,590.

Cruisers won two.

**Agriculture**—L. W. Johnson, 442; E. Butler, 542; A. J. Houreton, 584; G. H. Stewart, 501; J. Jenkins, 497. Total, 2,536.

**B.C. Buds**—G. Davies, 548; J. Stewert, 456; C. Fea, 560; B. Tobin, 614; W. Morry, 582. Total, 2,860.

B.C. Buds won two.

**Information Bureau**—J. Morton, 465; G. L. Foulkes, 580; A. Shotbolt, 551; W. Lyle, 449; C. Campbell, 509. Total, 2,554.

**Spirits**—F. Sherritt, 656; G. Wooldridge, 572; G. McKechern, 426; E. Freeman, 624; C. Price, 736. Total, 2,914.

Spirits won two.

**Bindery**—B. Johnston, 600; E. Davison, 493; M. Coppinger, 475; V. Galion, 470; W. A. R. Johnston, 590. Total, 2,628.

**Pressmen**—H. Price, 577; F. Humphrey, 463; J. Wilby, 502; G. Neill, 505; H. Adams, 585. Total, 2,632.

Pressmen won two.

**Opacs**—C. D. Orchard, 452; T. A. Simmons, 342; J. Daver, 437; J. Grant, 466; W. Tait, 598. Total, 2,295.

**Maple Leafs**—J. Stewart, 605; H. Campion, 710; S. A. Bell, 539; J. Huxtable, 758; G. Andrews, 580. Total, 3,152.

Maple Leafs won three.

**(Women)**

**Ayzees**—K. Wellburn, 385; D. Morrison, 435; D. Osborn, 393; E. Ballson, 264; M. Burtholme, 235. Total, 1,702.

**Wheatles**—E. Summers, 406; J. Ridgway, 269; L. Clarke, 401; M. Marquart, 209; low score, 340. Total, 1,641.

Wheatles won two.

**Shooting Stars**—D. Winkel, 291; W. Hadden, 62; E. Harte, 314; M. Christopher, 375; M. Smith, 402; E. Beggs, 412. Total, 1,976.

**Dumbelles**—M. Bates, 324; F. Rippingale, 448; P. MacDonald, 440; K. Robinson, 514; E. Florence, 277; C. Parson, 203. Total, 2,204.

Dumbelles won three.

**Lucky Strikes**—D. Cooper, 421; M. Webb, 412; G. Miller, 398. Total, 1,231.

**Dude**—J. Taylor, 211; F. Firkins, 202; V. Jecklin, 265; V. Holland, 228; N. Johnson, 284; I. Gandy, 261; R. Steele, 150. Total, 1,686.

Dude won three.

**HUMBUGS' FIVEPIN LEAGUE**

**Cooties**—Mrs. Hubberd, 288; Mrs. Holyoak, 313; Mrs. Kendrew, 363; Mrs. Rance, 347; Mrs. McLagen, 272. Total, 1,612.

**Berks**—C. Brown, 434; I. Hall, 206; F. Berks, 305; S. Wilby, 260; M. Taylor, 435. Total, 1,632.

Berks won two.

**Brownies**—F. Burress, 337; A. Mackay, 407; L. Johnson, 324; M. Dinsmore, 333; A. Brown, 276. Total, 1,686.

**Walkerites**—A. Gonnason, 264; A. Edwards, 380; R. White, 278; M. Watson, 419; L. B. Walker, 368. Total, 1,617.

Walkerites won three.

**COMMERCIAL FIVEPIN LEAGUE**
**Section "B"**

**Mc, Mc & Prior (Office)**—B. Black, 443; B. Osborne, 572; J. Allen, 372; N. Stewardson, 536; C. J. Shaw, 506; handicap, 300. Total, 2,731.

**Our Own Brand**—J. Bethell, 672; W. Marshall, 508; W. Chisholm, 580; J. Howell, 574; A. Harness, 540; handicap, 42. Total, 3,116.

Our Own Brand won three.

**Boultbee, Ltd.**—W. Hobday, 458; D. Sutherland, 484; G. Robertson, 432; N. S. Weikar, 599; low score, 553; handicap, 264. Total, 2,776.

**Colonist Nonparelle**—A. H. Anderson, 604; E. Borde, 536; W. E. Dunn, 689; J. R. Begg, 666; W. H. Youhill, 660; handicap, 86. Total, 3,321.

Colonist Nonparells won three.

**Royal Arcanum**—B. Murzstroyd, 434; L. Stewart, 543; W. Logie, 714; G. Kerr, 432; W. B. Jones, 424; handicap, 312. Total, 2,760.

**Olympians**—L. Knepp, 496; G. Butler, 558; H. Anderson, 463; A. Perry, 584; W. Shouldice, 545; handicap, 246. Total, 2,902.

Olympians won two.

**H.M.C. Dockyard**—F. Morson, 556; W. Moss, 516; J. Richardson, 372; O. Beecher, 527; J. J. Comerford, 466; handicap, 294. Total, 2,831.

**Toronto Imperials**—V. Young, 623; James Noble, 571; A. T. Lambert, 593; A. L. Evans, 566; A. B. Christopher, 606; handicap, 300. Total, 3,179.

Toronto Imperials won two.

**Stocker's Security Storage**—B. Brown, 571; J. Walker, 515; W. Rebey, 551; W. Richardson, 517; J. Newnham, 494; handicap, 300. Total, 2,948.

Stocker's won three by default.

**Diamond "S"**—J. Post, 646; R. Thomson, 575; A. Strathern, 373; T. Milady, 552; S. J. Thomson, 490; handicap, 200. Total, 2,636.

Diamond "S" won three by default.

**W. & J. Wilson**—J. McIntosh, 487; G. Hughes, 391; R. Terries, 546; G. Elliott, 190; handicap, 300. Total, 1,914. Bye.

W. & J. Wilson won three.

**ARCADE COMMERCIAL TENPIN LEAGUE**

**Fruit Delivery**—Fred Henry, 467; Harry Woolston, 494; Jack Bowcott, 464; Herb Cummins, 504; W. Bryant, 442. Total, 2,351.

**Stades**—Stan Hearn, 416; W. Wylie, 395; George Burns, 369; Dave Hunter, 120; Perry Walter, 474; Ray Elwood, 527. Total, 2,313.

Fruit Delivery won three.

**National Motors**—C. Heathfield, 445; H. Robson, 422; F. Todd, 459; F. Stewart, 270; H. Hill, 455. Total, 2,051.

**V.M.D.**—B. Taylor, 352; H. Peard, 432; K. Thompson, 374; W. Brown, 448; B. Marchant, 430. Total, 2,046.

V.M.D. won two.

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## Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

To the Sports Editor:

Dear Sir,—Canada's narrow escape from humiliating defeat in ice hockey at Lake Placid came as a severe shock, and should rouse Canadians to a realization of what is happening to their national Winter game, and to a sense of their responsibility in taking positive steps to preserve it and protect it against those influences which would destroy it. The purpose of this letter is not to cast any reflection upon this year's Olympic team, and in assuming that Canada is justified in expecting to hold supremacy in ice hockey, we must not in any manner belittle the creditable effort made by the U.S. team and the marked development by other countries. The point is evident that Canada, having given to the world the game of ice hockey, has a right to demand that her playing strength and ability be properly presented. If this is done we can be prepared to accept the result of fair competition.

At the 1924 annual meeting of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association I heard W. R. (Toby) Sexsmith, of the Manitoba Association, sound the warning when he declared that "from now on, senior hockey in Canada is dead." He was referring to the protection of the junior player, and just how truly prophetic were his words is now painfully apparent.

It is recognized among men who "know hockey" that the natural ability of the player is demonstrated and his future may be fairly gauged at the age of seventeen or eighteen. At this time he comes under the view of scouts from the professional teams, with the subsequent proffered contract to those of exceptional ability. It has been known, where the boy is a minor and too young to sign, the plunderers of the hockey nest have had a father pledge his son. That the majority of our players thus proselytized are taken to a foreign country to play against us is a further regrettable feature.

The age limit for junior hockey players in Canada is twenty years. Thus it follows that the most promising players are early pledged and senior ranks are recruited only from among those of lesser ability and the few who resist the lure of professionalism.

The Canadian Amateur Hockey Association had its origin and has existed primarily for the preservation of amateur hockey in Canada. It has done and is doing all within its power to fulfill its purpose. In fact, in standing in defence it has been forced to adopt methods and rules so severe as to provoke the criticism of those unfamiliar with the circumstances and seriousness of its problems. It is necessary for them to contend with not only the drain from the declared professional game, but also the influence of a semi-professionalism in the form of "industrial" hockey, of which the latter is probably the more insidious. The association cannot protect itself and the game without presuming to interfere with the liberty of the individual to play in any way he chooses, which, of course, is impossible.

If the rightful standard of the senior game is to be maintained there seems two courses open—go as a mendicant and implore the blighting influences to spare us, or raise a wave of public sentiment that will place the honors of the amateur game so high in the estimation of the Canadian people that its laurels might be preferred as against more material things.

This may appear idealism in the extreme, but it is not impossible if we realize the value of our birthright. If governments will recognize the character-forming possibilities in amateur games for the youth of Canada, and lend its recognition and authority to championship competition, we will have made a good start.

If the press of Canada will awaken to the fact that amateurism is founded in the sentiments of our people, goes into every home, offers a wholesome, genuine "reader interest," and therefore has a mighty effect in building character and citizenship. It is rather puzzling to understand how valuable newspaper space which ordinarily could not be purchased can be lavishly thrown free into the lap of private professional interests, boosting the stock of those whose purpose is only to exploit the game, contributing nothing toward its upkeep, and caring not a whit for its preservation.

Lacrosse was sacrificed on the altar of a professionalism which carried within it the seed of its own destruction. There is more lacrosse now being played in the United States, Britain and Australia than there is in Canada, and it now falls to amateurism to revive and re-establish it in its birthplace. Is hockey to follow this example?

Can we not do something to preserve Canadian games for the Canadian people?

J. PERCY WATSON,
Treasurer B.C. Branch
A.A.U. of C.

Victoria, B.C., February 17, 1932.

## *Maxie Rosenbloom Is Held to Draw*

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla., Feb. 17 (AP).—Young Bob Godwin, of Daytona Beach, earned a ten-round draw with Maxie Rosenbloom, light-heavyweight champion, in a fast ten-round nontitle bout at the National Guard Arena here tonight. Rosenbloom weighed 178 and Godwin was two pounds lighter.

Sammy Mandell, former world's lightweight champion who announced his retirement soon after losing his crown, began a comeback campaign by easily outpointing Jimmy Spivey, Columbus, Ga., in ten rounds in the semi-windup. Both scaled 146.

## BATTLE TO DRAW

SEATTLE, Feb. 17 (AP).—Substituting for Fred Lenhart, Spokane, who became ill a couple of days ago, "Red" Tingley, Bellingham light-heavyweight, fought a draw with Terris Hill, Chicago negro, in a six-round boxing bout here tonight.

The minister had been impressing upon the children at the Sunday school classes the real necessity for being good and obedient at all times.

At the conclusion of his address he asked: "Now, children, can any of you tell me what kind of boys and girls go to heaven?"

One little fellow, eager to outshine the others, shouted: "Yes, sir. Dead 'uns!"

## Doctor Dick's Letter Box

TIM MATSON

Photo by Cynthia Clayton

Dear Doctor,

What's wrong with my Boy Friend? We've been keeping company for twelve years, and up till recently all was bliss and honey.

Recently, though, I've noticed a change. He don't kiss me near so much or as rough as he used to. He'll sit silent for long spells, lookin' real deep and moody. Worst is, he just can't look me in the eyes. Keeps his head down mostly, and if he ever does look my way, his eyes sort of slink up, furtive-like, then slide back to the linoleum—acts just like a dog what's been at the meat-safe, and ain't yet discovered.

Maybe he's got something on his mind—or supposin' it's another woman? I'm worried, Doc. Please give me the "low-down"—pronto!

SUSPICIOUS.

My Dear Suspicious,

In answering your letter, I am taking it for granted that "keeping company" is correlative to "being engaged."

Under normal circumstances, your fiance's symptoms would certainly insinuate either some monstrous worry on his mind, or, what is more commendable—another woman.

But, a man who has been engaged for twelve years has pretty well lost all his initiative, personality and self-respect. Distant inhibitions may rumble in the grottos of his inner self, but he has long since lost the technique, power and courage to unleash them and let them run, berserk! In fact, I imagine that if Clara Bow were to suddenly pursue him, he would unhesitatingly head for the Breakwater—and not stop when the Breakwater ceased to be a Breakwater! So I think we can cheerfully inter the "other woman."

What I think has happened is that he has suddenly realized that he's getting too old to marry, and is afraid to tell you. And, does it occur to you, Suspicious (anent those "sneak thief" glances), does it occur to you, my dear, that possibly your erstwhile youthful features, etc., have been gently corroded by the acid breath of Autumn, and that he now contracts, rather than expands, at sight of them?

My terse advice to you two Hibiscus-buds is to fly to the nearest Parson—ere bath chairs, beards and ear trumpets make the ceremony look gloomier than it does normally. Must go and stir the goldfish now. Good-bye, and don't feel discouraged.

Yours maternally,
DOCTOR DICK.

## BONERS

The English planted colonels when they came to America, some of which grew rapidly

**BONERS are actual humorous tid-bits found in examination papers, essays, etc., by teachers.**

Who were the Albigenses and where did they live?

I don't know who they were, nor where they lived, but whoever they were and wherever they lived, I wish them a Merry Christmas.

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Digestion takes all the food out of the stuff you eat.

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The skin is to hold the body in place.

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Balboa, who discovered the Pacific Ocean, was called the "Great Pacificator."

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If more people would get intoxicated much smallpox could be prevented.

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Heresy is a passing of a title or land from father to son.

## EARLY BREED OF PIGEON EXTINCT

**Dr. Henry Hewitt, of Guelph, Recalls Days of Passenger Variety Now Unknown**

The tragic story of the extinction of the passenger pigeon, abundant in the early days of settlement in Eastern Canada and the territory extending from the Mississippi River to the Atlantic Ocean in the United States, is revived by an article in The Canadian Field-Naturalist, published at Ottawa. The writer, Dr. Henry Hewitt, of Guelph, who is now at the Empress Hotel spending the Winter months, gives valuable and interesting facts concerning the passing of these birds which, in the early days of the territory referred to, were in such quantities that in flight the sun was literally darkened by the flocks.

Dr. Howitt gives the information that about 1869, in the vicinity of Guelph, flocks of wild pigeons practically ceased to be seen. He can recall a few years previous to this, when a boy, that farmers had to station a group of boys on the field while sowing Fall wheat in order to keep the pigeons from devouring the grain.

**BROKE DOWN TREES**

While the flocks seen in Southern Ontario were not as large as those described farther south in the United States, he has heard old residents tell a story of a rookery of these pigeons which occupied a forest along the Speed River, from Guelph to Rockwood, in 1835, when trees were broken down by the weight of the birds. Wagon loads of the young birds could be obtained, he said.

The flocks of passenger pigeons moved, according to Dr. Howitt, in strata. He says that as a young boy he studied these flights and the formation of them. The lowest stratum had the widest extent. The succeeding ones were smaller with the sides sloping from the lower stratum to the higher. Where the number of birds was not very large there would be about three strata, while in other cases these strata would run to thirty or more in number.

**CONTRADICTS THEORY**

Dr. Howitt contradicts the theory often advanced that these pigeons could not be tamed. He gives an instance of the taming of one of the birds while he was a boy. For years the pigeon lived as a pet about the house. It is lamented by Dr. Howitt that an attempt was not made to effect a cross between the tame pigeon and the passenger, thus making for a hardy type which might have been of value.

The last of the passenger pigeons Dr. Howitt saw was in 1881, when he espied one in a tree near Guelph. The records, he says, place the last of the kind as dying in the Cincinnati Zoo in 1914.

Young Author—I don't feel quite the thing, doctor. I've just written my first book and I thought maybe the strain—

Physician—I see, possibly a case of new-writis.

## Saltspring Island

Mrs. George Borradaile, of Ganges, has left for Victoria, where she is a patient in the Jubilee Hospital.

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Rev. D. M. Thomson, of Winnipeg, and his son, Mr. Howard Thomson, have rented Miss K. Allen's property on Ganges Harbor, and have taken up residence there.

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Mr. Robert Hulm, of Victoria, has returned home after a short visit to Ganges, where he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Scott.

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Mr. Inglis, of Victoria, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crofton, of Ganges.

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Mr. H. Cotton, Mr. G. D'Arcy, Mr. D. McDonald, of Victoria, have returned home after visiting the island as guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Wilson, of "Barnsbury."

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Mrs. A. J. Eaton, of Ganges, has returned home after two weeks in Victoria, where she was a patient at the Jubilee Hospital.

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Captain and Mrs. James Mitchell, of Ganges, have returned home after two weeks in Victoria.

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Commander and Mrs. Anderson, who have been spending the Winter on Mayne Island, visited Saltspring, where they were guests of Miss Frampton, of Vesuvius Bay.

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Miss Gladys Borradaile has returned home to Ganges, after visiting her sister, Mrs. C. F. Roberts, of Victoria.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith, of Ganges, are guests for a week at the James Bay Hotel, Victoria.

## Ucluelet-Long Beach

Major E. E. Frost was a recent visitor in Ucluelet, en route to Ahousat and other points on the West Coast.

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Mr. G. H. Pethick, district road engineer, Public Works Department, of Alberni, was at Long Beach recently. Mr. Pethick also visited Tofino and Ucluelet in connection with his work.

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Mr. and Mrs. James McDonald have left for Nanaimo and Extension on account of the sudden death of Mr. McDonald's mother at Extension.

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Mr. W. Hillier has returned from Port Alice, Quatsino and other West Coast points.

## Chemainus

Mr. William Wilson, Albert Street, has returned to Chemainus, following a brief visit to Victoria.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Robertson and their two sons have left for Vancouver, where they expect to make their home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cave, Stewart Avenue, Nanaimo, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Cave, Pine Street, recently.

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Mr. J. A. Humbird left yesterday for Vancouver, traveling by seaplane from Chemainus Harbor.


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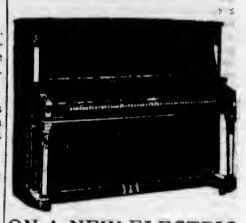

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Wife (looking up from newspaper)—"It says here, dear, that a man has just been married to the girl he first met when he dashed into a burning building and saved her life."

Husband — "H'm—that should teach him to mind his own business in future!"

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# FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

## Security Prices Slip Sharply at New York Mart

NEW YORK, Feb. 17 (AP).—Unable to improve on Tuesday's top prices, the stock market turned reactionary today and gave up what had been gained in yesterday's advance.

Forenoon transactions were characterized by considerable irregularity, one or two attempts to push the list through the recent highs fell fractionally short of success; thus discouraged, traders then adopted the surer programme of taking profits already at hand, and the market slipped off sharply in the later hours, closing with a heavy tone.

Many pivotal issues were off 1 to 6 points net, averaging into a net loss of 2.8 points against a rise of 2.7 in the previous session. Sales totaled 2,180,813 shares.

The salient reversal came when the news was as much favorable as otherwise. American Telephone's directors fulfilled market speculations by declaring a regular quarterly dividend of $2.25; though perhaps some professionals were disappointed because yesterday's rumor that payments for a full year might be voted was not substantiated. Telephone led the decline with a six-point break.

U.S. Steel tried valiantly to close at 50, which it touched yesterday, but was unsuccessful and fell back more than 2 points net. Speculative enthusiasm for Radio waned. American Can, Dupont, Case, National Biscuit, American Tobacco "B," North American, Consolidated Gas and Sears Roebuck sagged 2 to 2 1-2. Union Pacific and Santa Fe lost 4 each. Auburn, as usual, was out of bounds with an 8-point loss.

Decision of Southern Pacific's directors to take "no action" on the quarterly dividend until the May meeting, recalled the course adopted by some other roads, notably New York Central, in postponing a decision until the earnings position is clarified.

Although bond prices sagged somewhat in late trading today, apparently in sympathy with a weakened stock list, the market refused to give up all of its gains and closed fractionally higher.

(Logan & Bryan.)
(All Fractions in Eighths.)

| | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|
| **ELECTRICAL AND MANUFACTURING** | | | |
| Allis Chalmers Mfg. | 12 | 11-6 | 12 |
| Amn. Brown Boveri | 4-6 | .. | 4-6 |
| Elec. Auto Lite | 31 | 29-1 | 29-1 |
| Foster Wheeler | 9-7 | 9-5 | 9-5 |
| General Electric | 33-4 | 31 | 21-6 |
| Int. Combus. Engr. | 1-4 | .. | 1-4 |
| Westinghouse El. | 33-6 | 30-3 | 30-5 |
| Elec. Bond & Share | 13-2 | 12-2 | 12-3 |
| **MISCELLANEOUS AND MANUFACTURING** | | | |
| Amn. Can Company | 69-7 | 65-6 | 66-1 |
| Amn. Ice | 15 | .. | 15 |
| Bendix | 17-5 | 16-6 | 16-6 |
| Burroughs Adding | 11-4 | .. | 11-4 |
| Case Threshing | 39-3 | 35-3 | 35-6 |
| Congoleum Nairn | 10-6 | 10-2 | 10-2 |
| Continental Can. | 39-1 | 37-6 | 36 |
| Curtiss-Wright | 2 | 1-7 | 1-7 |
| Dupont de Nemours | 55 | 55-4 | 55-5 |
| Eastman Kodak | 79 | 75-4 | 75-4 |
| Gillette | 18-5 | 17 | 17 |
| Gold Dust | 18-1 | 15 | 16 |
| Int. Harvester | 25-4 | 23-4 | 23-4 |
| Nat. Cash Register | 10-2 | 10 | 10-1 |
| Nor. Ama. Av. | 3-4 | 3-3 | 3-4 |
| Pullman | 33 | 32-3 | 32-3 |
| Radio Corp. of Amn. | 10-3 | 9-1 | 9-2 |
| Remington-Rand | 3-1 | 3 | 3-1 |
| Simmons Co. | 6-7 | 6 | 5 |
| Underwood Type | 32-4 | 20 | 30 |
| United Aircraft | 16-7 | 15-1 | 15-3 |
| Worthington Pump | 32-3 | 20-1 | 30-1 |
| **RAILS** | | | |
| Allegheny Corp. | 3-6 | 2-5 | 3-5 |
| Atchison | 59-3 | 54-6 | 64-6 |
| Balt. & Ohio | 19 | 17-3 | 17-4 |
| Can. Pacific | 15-6 | 15-2 | 15-2 |
| Ches. & Ohio | 27-4 | 24-6 | 24-7 |
| Chicago & Northw. | 10-1 | 9-1 | 9-1 |
| C. M. & St. Paul | 2-7 | 3-6 | 2-7 |
| Chicago Rock Island | 13-4 | 13 | 13 |
| Del. Lack & West. | 22-7 | 22 | 22 |
| Erie | 8-6 | .. | 8-6 |
| Gt. Northern pfd. | 31-6 | 30-3 | 20-2 |
| Ill. Central | 15-3 | 14-3 | 14-3 |
| Mo., K. & Tex. | 6-5 | 9-3 | 6-2 |
| Missouri Pac. | 9-2 | 8-7 | 6 |
| N. Y. Central | 33-2 | 20-3 | 30-4 |
| N.Y. New Haven & H. | 29-2 | 26-6 | 26-7 |
| Northern Pac. | 31-3 | 19-7 | 19-7 |
| Pennsylvani R.R. | 21-7 | 20-2 | 20-4 |
| Pere Marquette | 11-1 | 11 | 11 |
| Reading | 33 | .. | 33 |
| St. Louis San Fran. | 5-6 | 5-4 | 5-4 |
| Southern Pac. | 37 | 33-2 | 33-4 |
| Southern Ry. | 11-4 | 11-3 | 11-3 |
| Union Pacific | 61-6 | 97 | 57 |
| Wabash | 3-4 | .. | 3-4 |
| **STEEL AND IRON** | | | |
| Amn. Locomotive | 7-6 | .. | 7-6 |
| Amn. Steel Fdy. | 7-6 | 7-1 | 7-1 |
| Baldwin Loco | 7-3 | .. | 7-2 |
| Bethlehem Steel | 33-7 | 31 | 31-4 |
| Byers (AM) Co. | 16-6 | 15 | 15-6 |
| General Tank | 32-5 | 31-4 | 31-4 |
| Rep. Iron & Steel | 6-2 | 5-4 | 5-4 |
| U. S. Cast Iron Pipe | 15-1 | 14-6 | 14-6 |
| U. S. Steel | 50 | 46-5 | 47 |
| Vanadium | 16-6 | 14-6 | 15 |
| **AUTOMOBILES AND ACCESSORIES** | | | |
| Auburn | 135-2 | 116 | 117-1 |
| Briggs | 10 | 9-6 | 9-8 |
| Chrysler | 12-3 | 12-3 | 12-6 |
| Continental M. | 1-4 | .. | 1-4 |
| General Motor | 23-6 | 23 | 23 |
| Hudson | 9-6 | 9-5 | 9-6 |
| Hupp | 4 | .. | 4 |
| Mack Truck | 15-6 | 14-4 | 14-4 |
| Nash | 19 | 17-4 | 17-4 |
| Packard | 4-3 | 4-1 | 4-1 |
| Stewart Warner | 5-3 | .. | 5-3 |
| Studebaker | 11-6 | 11-4 | 11-4 |
| Timken Roller | 21-5 | 20 | 20 |
| Willys Overland | 3-3 | .. | 3-3 |
| Yellow Truck | 4-1 | 4 | 4-1 |
| **TIRES AND RUBBER** | | | |
| Goodyear | 16 | 15-4 | 15-6 |
| U. S. Rubber | 4-7 | 4-4 | 4-5 |
| **PUBLIC UTILITY** | | | |
| Amn. Foreign Pow. | 8-4 | 7-6 | 6 |
| Amn. Pow. & Light | 15-7 | 14-4 | 14-4 |
| Amn. Tel. & Telegr. | 135 | 127-7 | 136-2 |
| Amn. Water Wks. | 32-1 | 29-5 | 29-6 |
| Brook. Man. | 41-3 | 40-4 | 40-5 |
| Columbia Gas | 14-5 | 14-1 | 14-1 |
| Consol Gas, N. Y. | 65-3 | 62-3 | 63 |
| Elec. Pwr. & Light | 13-6 | 13-4 | 12-6 |
| Inter. Tel. & Tel. | 11-5 | 10-2 | 10-3 |
| Louisville Gas | 22-1 | 32 | 22 |
| North American | 36-6 | 36 | 36-2 |
| Pacific Gas & Elec. | 34-5 | .. | 24-6 |
| South Calif. Edison | 32-3 | 31 | 31-6 |
| Stand. Gas & Elec. | 31-7 | 30-1 | 30-1 |
| Stone & Webster | 13-1 | 12 | 12 |
| United Corp. | 10-3 | 9-4 | 9-4 |
| Util. Pow. & Lt. "A" | 9-1 | 8-7 | 6 |
| Western Union | 47 | 43-4 | 43-6 |
| Nat. P. & L. | 14-5 | 14-3 | 14-3 |
| Pub. Service | 57-7 | 56 | 56 |
| **FOOD PRODUCTS** | | | |
| Borden Co. | 40-7 | 39-4 | 39-4 |
| Canada Dry | 12-1 | 12 | 12 |
| Coca Cola | 115-7 | 113 | 112 |
| Cont. Baking "A" | 6-4 | 6 | 6 |
| Corn Products | 45-2 | 44-5 | 44-6 |
| Gen. Foods | 35-6 | 34-6 | 34-6 |
| Gt. West Sugar | 5-4 | .. | 5-4 |
| National Biscuit | 45 | 43 | 43 |
| Nat. Dairy Prod. | 27-2 | 26-2 | 26-2 |
| Penick & Ford | 30-1 | .. | 30-1 |
| Safeway Stores | 60-4 | .. | 60-4 |
| Standard Brands | 12-6 | 13 | 13 |
| United Fruit | 26 | 25-1 | 25-1 |
| **APPAREL** | | | |
| American Woolen | 4-6 | 4-5 | 4-6 |
| Nat. Bella Hess | 0-4 | .. | 0-4 |
| Real Silk Hosery | 3-1 | .. | 3-1 |
| U. S. Leather "A" | 5 | .. | 5 |
| **RETAIL TRADE** | | | |
| Assoc. Dry Goods | 6-7 | .. | 6-7 |
| Dom. Stores | 16-6 | .. | 15-6 |
| Drug, Inc. | 55-7 | 64 | 64 |
| S. S. Kresge Co. | 17-7 | 16-2 | 16-2 |
| Krueger Toll | 8-4 | 8-1 | 6-2 |
| Montgomery Ward | 10-2 | 9-2 | 6-3 |
| Sears Roebuck | 35-3 | 33-1 | 32-3 |
| Schulte Retail | 3-1 | .. | 3-1 |
| F. W. Woolworth | 44-2 | 42-1 | 42-2 |
| **TOBACCOS** | | | |
| Amn. Tobacco "B" | 81-6 | 76-4 | 78-4 |
| Ligett Meyers "B" | 97-6 | 57 | 67 |
| Lorillard | 14-7 | 14-3 | 14-3 |
| Reynolds Tobacco | 38-2 | 37-5 | 37-5 |
| Tobacco Prod. "B" | 5 | .. | 5 |
| **MISCELLANEOUS** | | | |
| Cont. Shares | 0-8 | .. | 0-5 |
| Fox Film "A" | 3-7 | .. | 3-7 |
| Gen. Asphalt | 14-2 | 14-1 | 14-1 |
| Int. Match pfd. | 24-2 | 23-6 | 22 |
| Johns Manville | 24-4 | 23 | 22-4 |
| Loews | 32-2 | 30-5 | 30-5 |
| Otis Elevator | 18-7 | 16 | 19 |
| Paramount Famous | 9-4 | 8-7 | 9 |
| Radio Keith Orpheum | 6-1 | .. | 6-1 |
| Tex. Pac. Land | 6-1 | .. | 6-1 |
| Trans America | 5-7 | 5-3 | 5-3 |
| U. S. Realty | 8 | .. | 9 |
| Warner Bros. | 3-1 | 3 | 3 |
| Amn. Southern | 4-3 | 4-2 | 4-2 |
| Amn. International | 7-6 | 7 | 7 |
| **CHEMICAL** | | | |
| Air Reduction | 57-7 | 54 | 55 |
| Allied Chemical | 79-7 | 74-3 | 75-3 |
| Columbia Carbon | 35-1 | 33-5 | 23-5 |
| Com. Solvents | 9-3 | 8-7 | 8-7 |
| Davis Chem. | 4-4 | .. | 4-4 |
| Freeport Texas | 19-3 | 18-4 | 19 |
| Lambert | 61 | 47-7 | 46 |
| Liquid Carbonic | 18-6 | 16 | 18-4 |
| Nat. Distillers | 21-6 | 20-3 | 20-7 |
| Tex. Gulf Sulphur | 26-2 | 24-4 | 24-4 |
| Union Carbide | 33-7 | 32 | 32-3 |
| U. S. Ind. Alcohol | 36-5 | 25 | 25 |
| **OIL AND REFINING** | | | |
| Amerada | 13-4 | .. | 13-4 |
| Atlantic Ref. | 10-4 | 10-2 | 10-3 |
| Barnsdall | 4-6 | .. | 4-6 |
| Cont. Oil | 8-1 | 6 | 6 |
| Houston Oil | 21-6 | 31-1 | 31-1 |
| Mid. Cont. Pete | 5-7 | 5-6 | 5-7 |
| Phillips Petro | 5 | 4-5 | 4-5 |
| Prairie Pipe | 7-6 | .. | 7-6 |
| Richfield Oil | 1 | .. | .. |
| Royal Dutch | 19 | 18-7 | 18-7 |
| Shell Union Oil | 3-6 | .. | 3-6 |
| Sinclair Cons. Oil | 5-6 | 5-4 | 5-4 |
| Stand. Oil, Cal. | 26-6 | 25-3 | 25-3 |
| Stand. Oil, N. J. | 29-7 | 29 | 29 |
| Socony | 10-4 | 9-7 | 10 |
| Texas Corpn. | 12-6 | 11-7 | 11-7 |
| **MINING AND SMELTING** | | | |
| Alaska Juneau | 15-7 | 15 | 15-4 |
| Amn. Smelting | 16-1 | 15-3 | 15-3 |
| Anaconda Copper | 10-5 | 10 | 10 |
| Cerro De Pasco | 12-6 | 12-1 | 12-4 |
| Dome | 9 | 8-7 | 8-7 |
| Granby | 7 | .. | 7 |
| Inspiration | 3-1 | .. | 3-1 |
| Int. Nickel | 8-4 | 6 | 6 |
| Kennecott | 11-1 | 10-3 | 10-3 |
| McKeesport Tin | 61-4 | 56 | 58-6 |
| Nevada Cons. | 4-6 | .. | 4-6 |
| Noranda | 14-4 | 14 | 14 |
| Phelps Dodge | 7 | 6-6 | 7 |
| U. S. Smelting | 16 | .. | 16 |
| Amn. Alum. | 57-3 | 66-4 | 57 |

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| Can. Canners "B" | .. | 9 |
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| Inter. Nickel | 9½ | 6⅝ |
| Inter. Petroleum | 10⅝ | 11 |
| Inter. Utilities "A" | 7 | 6 |
| Lake of the Woods com. | 9½ | 7 |
| Massey-Harris com. | 3⅝ | 4 |
| McColl-Frontenac | 6⅝ | .. |
| Montreal Power | .. | 36 |
| Nat. Breweries | .. | 24 |
| Ogilvie Flour | 185 | .. |
| Ottawa L., H. & P. | 104 | 105 |
| Page-Hersey Tubes | 54 | 56 |
| Power Corporation | .. | 36½ |
| Quebec Power | .. | 29 |
| Riverside "A" | 10 | 13½ |
| Service Station "A" | 5½ | 6 |
| Service Station pfd. "A" | 40 | .. |
| Shawinigan W. & P. | .. | 33 |
| Sherwin-Williams | .. | 16½ |
| Steel of Can. com. | 30½ | 30⅞ |
| Walker's G. & W. | 3⅝ | 2⅞ |
| Winnipeg Electric com. | 6 | 6¼ |
| Dome Mines | 10.05 | 10.15 |
| Lakeshore | 35.75 | 36.00 |
| Noranda | 16.35 | 16.75 |
| Sherritt-Gordon | .50 | .52 |
| Sudbury Basin | .35 | .. |
| Teck-Hughes | 4.43 | 4.46 |
| Ventures | .45 | .46½ |
| Wright-Hargreaves | 3.76 | 2.76 |

## Canadian Bonds

(Robb, Robertson & Birch, Ltd.)

| | |
|---|---|
| **PROVINCIAL AND MUNICIPAL** | |
| Prov. of Ontario 4½% | 64 |
| Prov. of Ontario 5% | 64½ |
| Prov. of Ontario 6% | 102 |
| Prov. of Alberta 4½% | 79 |
| Prov. of Alberta 5% | 90 |
| Prov. of Manitoba 4½% | 98 |
| Prov. of Manitoba 5% | 61 |
| Prov. of British Columbia 4½% | 76 |
| Prov. of British Columbia 5% | 60 |
| **PUBLIC UTILITY** | |
| Beauharnois Power 6%, 1959 | 56½ |
| Bell Telephone 6% | 102 |
| B.C. Power 5½%, 1960 | 97½ |
| B.C. Power 5%, 1960 | 80⅝ |
| B.C. Telephone 5%, 1960 | 92 |
| Calgary Power 5%, 1960 | 63 |
| C.P.R. 4½%, 1944 | 79 |
| C.P.R. 5%, 1954 | 85 |
| Canada Steamship 6%, 1941 | 38 |
| Gatineau Power 6%, 1956 | 79¼ |
| Montreal Tramways 5%, 1955 | 81½ |
| Montreal Power 5%, 1970 | 95½ |
| Ontario Power Service 5½%, 1950 | 67 |
| Power Corporation 5%, 1952 | 61 |
| West Kootenay Power 5%, 1956 | 69 |
| Western Power 5%, 1946 | 63 |
| **INDUSTRIAL** | |
| Abitibi P. & P. 5%, 1953 | 43½ |
| Acadia Sugar 6%, 1948 | 83 |
| Alberta Pacific Grain 6%, 1946 | 72 |
| B.A. Oil 5%, 1945 | 89 |
| Dominion Canners 6%, 1940 | 100 |
| Dom. Tar & Chemical 6%, 1949 | 80⅝ |
| Federal Grain 9%, 1949 | 66 |
| Great Lakes Paper 9%, 1950 | 22 |
| Maple Leaf Milling 5½%, 1947 | 64 |
| Massey-Harris 6%, 1947 | 69 |
| United Grain Growers 5%, 1948 | 74 |
| Canadian Vickers 6%, 1947 | 74 |

## New York Curb

(Logan & Bryan)

| | |
|---|---|
| Amn. Aluminum | 57 |
| Amn. Gas & Electric | 36 |
| Amn. Cyanamid "B" | 4½ |
| Amn. Superpower | 4¼ |
| Arkansas Natural Gas "A" | 2¼ |
| Ass'd Gas & Electric "A" | 4⅝ |
| Brazilian | 11⅝ |
| Can. Marconi | 1½ |
| Central Public Service | 2¼ |
| Cities Service | 9¼ |
| De Forest | 1 |
| Electric Bond & Share | 12¼ |
| Ford of Canada | 12⅝ |
| Ford of England | 6⅝ |
| Hudson Bay M. & S. | 2⅛ |
| Imperial Oil of Canada "C" | 6⅝ |
| Niagara Hudson Power | 6⅝ |
| International Utilities "B" | 3¼ |
| Pennroad | 3¼ |
| Standard Oil of Indiana | 19⅝ |
| Standard Oil of Kentucky | 12⅝ |
| United Founders | 2 |
| United Gas of Texas | 3½ |
| United Verde Extension | 3⅝ |
| Teck-Hughes | 4 |

## FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 17 (AP).—Foreign exchange easy.

France — Demand 3.94⅝; cables 3.94 7-16.

Italy—Demand 5.10¾; cables 5.20¼.

Demand:
Belgium—13.96.
Germany—23.73.
Holland—40.46.
Norway—19.74.
Sweden—19.27.
Denmark—19.96.
Switzerland—19.53½.
Spain—7.71.
Portugal—3.15.
Greece—1.29¾.
Poland—11.30.
Czechoslovakia—2.96¾.
Jugoslavia—1.76.
Austria—13.99.
Rumania—.59¾.
Argentina—25.73.
Uruguay—46.35.
Brazil—6.31¼.
Tokio—35.13¼.
Shanghai—33.13½.
Montreal—87.25.
Mexico City (silver peso)—37.30.
(Demand rates are nominal.)

**STERLING EXCHANGE**

NEW YORK, Feb. 17 (AP). — Demand 3.44½; cables 3.44⅝; sixty-day bills 3.40½.

## MINE STOCKS SLIP SLIGHTLY

### Lorne Gold and Bridge River Lead Activity and Lose Ground

VANCOUVER, Feb. 17 (CP).—Scattered trading again gave active issues a soft time on the Vancouver Stock Exchange today. Lorne Gold and Bridge River Consolidated were the leading traders. Both closed off fractionally, the former a quarter at 14 3-4 cents, and the latter issue down a like amount at 8 3-4 cents.

Pioneer at 3.40 was off 5, and Pend Oreille down 2 at 1.00.

Sherritt-Gordon was the only active issue to show a gain, closing up 1 cent at 49 cents bid.

Activity in the oils was negligible. Crow's Nest, after selling up a quarter, eased to 2 3-4 cents at the close, unchanged.

**MORNING SALES**

**Listed Oils**

C. & E. Corp.—50 at .30.
Home Oil—700 at .30.
Model—200 at .17.

**Unlisted Oils**

Crow's Nest—3,000 at .03.
Mayland—20 at .13.
Royalite—60 at 6.25.

**Listed Mines**

Bridge River Con.—7,000 at .09; 800 at .09¼.
National Silver—3,000 at .02½.
Pioneer Gold—500 at 3.45; 1,000 at 3.50.
Premier Gold—100 at .59.
Reno Gold—700 at .24; 100 at .25; 50 at .26.

**Unlisted Mines**

Lorne Gold—500 at .14½; 5,000 at .14¾; 3,600 at .15; 4,000 at .15 (B-60).
Pend Oreille—65 at 1.05.
Porter-Idaho—1,000 at .06.
Wellington—1,000 at .01.

**Eastern Mines**

Sherritt-Gordon—1,000 at .50; 100 at .51.

**Industrials**

B.C. Electric pfd.—1 at 65.00.

**AFTERNOON SALES**

**Listed Oils**

Amalgamated—500 at .03.
Commonwealth—3,300 at .10.
Fabyan Pete.—7,000 at .01½.

**Unlisted Oils**

Crow's Nest—500 at .03.
Delhousie—100 at .17.
Mayland—500 at .12.

**Listed Mines**

Bridge River Con.—1,000 at .09.
Grandview—633 at .06.
Metaline Metals—1,000 at .10.
Reno Gold—1,000 at .24.

**Unlisted Mines**

Lorne Gold—1,000 at .14¾; 4,500 at .15.
Inter. Nickel—50 at 9.00.
Porter-Idaho—500 at .05¾.

**CURB EXCHANGE**

Woodbine—5,500 at .00¾.

## Montreal-Toronto Stock Quotations

| | High | Low | Bid |
|---|---|---|---|
| Abitibi Power | .. | .. | 3-5 |
| Alberta Pac. | .. | .. | 4 |
| Asbestos | .. | .. | 35 |
| Bell Tel. | .. | .. | 119 |
| B. C. Packing | .. | .. | 1 |
| Brazil | .. | .. | 13-4 |
| Can. Car Fdy | .. | .. | 6-2 |
| Can. Cement | .. | .. | 6-3 |
| Can. Gypsum | .. | .. | 3-4 |
| Can. Ind'l Al. "A" | .. | .. | 1 |
| C. P. R. | .. | .. | 17-6 |
| Can. Steamers | .. | .. | 1-3 |
| Cockshutt Plow | .. | .. | 5 |
| Cons. M. & S. | .. | .. | 70 |
| Fraser Cos. | .. | .. | 1 |
| Gen. Steel Wares | .. | .. | 3 |
| Inter. Nickel | .. | .. | 9-4 |
| Lake of the Woods | .. | .. | 6-4 |
| Montreal Power | .. | .. | 36 |
| Steel of Can. | .. | .. | 30-7 |
| **CURBS** | | | |
| Ass'd Breweries | .. | (Asked) | 6 |
| B.A. Oil | .. | .. | 10-1 |
| Distillers-Seagram | .. | .. | 2-4 |
| Dryden Paper | .. | .. | 1 |
| Imperial Oil | 10 | 9-7 | 10 |
| Inter. Petroleum | .. | .. | 11 |
| Noranda | .. | .. | 16.50 |
| Walker-Good. | .. | .. | 3-4 |

**BANKS**

| | Min. Prices |
|---|---|
| Canadienne | 155-4 |
| Commerce | 186 |
| Dominion | 199 |
| Imperial | 198 |
| Montreal | 215 |
| Nova Scotia | 309 |
| Royal | 211 |
| Toronto | 193 |

## Liverpool Wheat

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 18 (CP).—Following wheat quotations were supplied today by Broomhall, Liverpool; all prices are c.i.f., Liverpool:

| | Today | Y'day |
|---|---|---|
| No. 2 Man. Northern, Atlantic, February | 76⅝ | 76⅝ |
| No. 2 Man. Northern, Vancouver, February | 77 | 76⅝ |
| No. 3 Man. Northern, Atlantic, February | 77 | 76½ |
| Argentine (Baril 64 lbs.), February | 66¼ | 65⅝ |
| Argentine (Rosafe 63 lbs.), February | 66¼ | 64⅝ |
| West Australia, February | 70½ | 69½ |
| U.S. No. 1 Hard, old crop, Atlantic, February | 60½ | 60¼ |
| U.S. White, Pacific, February | 83¼ | 82⅝ |

Note.—Above quotations were converted by Broomhall on a seven-day sterling exchange rate of $3.43 and reconverted into Canadian currency at $3.94, today's approximate exchange rate between banks.

**AT NEW YORK**

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Bonded wheat closed easier.

| | High | Low | Close | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| May | 60⅝ | 60¼ | 59⅝ | 60¼ |
| July | .. | .. | 61 | 61⅜ |

NEW YORK, Feb. 17 (AP).—The price of stock exchange seats took another jump today, a membership being arranged for sale at $175,000, up $19,000.

Since the end of last week seat values have risen $40,000, and from the low price of the year they have advanced more than $50,000.

## WHEAT PRICES REACT SHARPLY

### Values Decline One Cent on Profit Taking and Hedging Sales

WINNIPEG, Feb. 17 (CP). — Wheat prices reacted from recent advances of the last few days on the grain market here today, and in an erratic session values closed 1 to 7-8 cents lower. Volume of trade was fairly large, though slow at times. Fractional gains were scored shortly after the opening, but the general trend was to lower levels.

Trading was mixed, profit taking and hedging sales by elevator interests constituting the bulk of the offerings. Chicago traders appeared on both sides of the market.

May delivery future dropped an even cent at its finish of 65 3-4, and July, 7-8 to 1 cent at 67 3-8. October option eased 7-8 at 68 7-8.

Foreign buyers again withheld their commitments for Canadian wheat today. While not interested at present prices, reports indicated, continental millers are said to be making fair inquiries for future delivery. The movement of Argentine wheat to Europe continues heavy.

Cash grain trading continued indifferent and spreads closed unchanged. Coarse grains were mixed with prices generally following wheat.

(Logan & Bryan)

| | Open | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Wheat—** | | | | |
| May | 66⅝ | 67⅛ | 65⅝ | 65¾ |
| October | 69⅝ | 70⅛ | 68⅝ | 68⅞ |
| July | 68 | 68⅝ | 67¼ | 67⅜ |
| **Oats—** | | | | |
| May | 32⅛ | 32⅜ | 32¼ | 32¼ |
| July | 32⅛ | 32¼ | 31⅞ | 31⅞ |
| **Rye—** | | | | |
| July | 49⅝ | 49¼ | 48 | 48⅛ |
| May | 47⅝ | 48⅛ | 46⅝ | 46⅝ |
| **Barley—** | | | | |
| July | 40½ | 40⅝ | 40¼ | 40⅝ |
| May | 41¼ | 41⅝ | 40⅞ | 40⅞ |
| **Flax—** | | | | |
| July | 106⅝ | 106⅜ | 105 | 105⅛ |
| May | 106 | 106⅜ | 105¼ | 105½ |

**CASH GRAIN**

Wheat—1 H, 65; 1 N, 62⅝; 2 N, 59¼; 3 N, 55; 4, 51⅜; 5, 48; 6, 45⅜; feed, 43⅜; track, 63⅝; 1 AD, 85⅝; 3, 77⅜; 3, 67⅜; 4, 55⅜.

Oats—2 CW, 29⅝; 3 CW, 27¼; extra 1 feed, 28⅝; 1 feed, 25⅝; 2 feed, 24⅝; rejected, 16⅝; track, 29⅝.

Rye—1 CW, 43⅝; 2 CW, 43⅝; 3 CW, 41⅝; rejected 2 CW, 40⅝; rejected, 25⅝; track, 42⅜.

Barley—2 ROW, 41⅝; 3 CW, 36¼; 4 CW, 36⅝; 5 CW, 34⅝; 6 CW, 32⅝; track, 35¼.

Flax—1 NWC, 103½; 2 CW, 95½; 3 CW, 78½; rejected, 76½; track, 102¼.

London now has sixty-three theatres, nineteen music halls and more than 150 movie houses.

## Stocks Dip Slightly On Profit-Taking at Eastern Exchanges

MONTREAL, Feb. 17 (CP).—An irregular decline in the afternoon today brought out a number of fractional losses on the Montreal Exchange, Brazilian Traction, International Nickel, Canadian Pacific, Canada Cement and Gypsum all closing lower. Consolidated Smelters scored the only gain of the day, up 1-8 at 70 1-2.

The day's volume was fairly light, amounting to 8,029 shares against 9,328 yesterday.

Bell Telephone Company of Canada announced net earnings for 1931 equal to $7.62 per share, while the company paid out as dividends $8 per share, drawing on surplus to the extent of $297,856.

Other than a 4-point drop to 16 in Sherwin-Williams, a recently inactive issue, the exchange produced little of interest. Brazilian eased 1-4 at 13 1-4; International Nickel was off 3-8 at 9 1-8; Canadian Pacific dropped 1-4 at 17 3-4; Cement eased 1-8 at 6 3-4; Gypsum lost 1-4 at 3 3-4.

Bond sales were $3,250, with Victory 1937's gaining 25 cents at $104.25.

**TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE**

TORONTO, Feb. 17 (CP).—Profit taking drove stocks to lower levels today after Tuesday's firm session on the Toronto Stock Exchange. Ratio showed 7 gains to 22 losses, with 19 issues unchanged. Bonds continued to rise, while commodities were lower with stocks. Sales totaled 9,502 shares.

Interlisted leaders were moderately lower. Brazilian Traction was off 1-4, C.P.R. 1-2, and Consumers' Gas closed at 157 unchanged. Steel stocks were dull. Page-Hersey was unchanged, and Steel of Canada off 1-4. Ford was lower by 1-4.

The mining list was softer. Smelters lost 1 and Nickel, with 1,545 shares out, was down 1-4 to 9 1-8. In the oil list, British American was up 1-8, Imperial lost 1-8 and Pete did not appear.

Walker was off 1-8 and Distillers-Seagrams was unchanged.

**TORONTO MINING MARKET**

TORONTO, Feb. 17 (CP).—Trading lacked interest today on the Standard Stock and Mining Exchange, and price changes were of small proportion. Sales totaled 308,000 shares. Trading involved 80 issues, of which 31 declined in price, 26 closed unchanged and 23 advanced.

Eldorado was the market feature, with a turnover of 21,560 shares. It rose to a new high of $1.40 and closed at $1.37, up 12 points. Gold leaders turned soft, with Lake Shore down 35c to $38.60, and Mining Corporation off 12 points.

Light trading held throughout the base metal section, while Noranda at $16.30 lost 10c, and Hudson Bay declined 11c to $3.39. International Nickel moved up 15c, to close at $9.15.

In the oil group all leaders moved downward in price. Imperial was off 20c to $9.75; International Nickel fell 15c to $10.75, and British American lost 10c to close at 10.

(Logan & Bryan)

| | |
|---|---|
| Chemical Research | 1.57 |
| Amulet | 16½ |
| Big Missouri | 11 |
| Ajax | 1.00 |
| Coast Copper | 3.10 |
| Dome Mines | 9.50 |
| Falconbridge | 80 |
| Imperial Oil | 9.50 |
| Moss Mines | 38½ |
| Macassa | 29 |
| B.A. Oil | 6.60 |
| Pioneer Gold | 3.41 |
| Eldorado | 1.37 |
| Hollinger | 5.00 |
| International Pete | 10.70 |
| International Nickel | 9.00 |
| Kirk Lake | 45 |
| Lakeshore | 26.00 |
| Manitoba Basin | 1 |
| McIntyre | 17.25 |
| Mining Corporation | 95 |
| Nipissing | 81 |
| Noranda | 16.00 |
| Pend Oreille | 90 |
| Sherritt-Gordon | 50 |
| Sudbury | 26 |
| Wright-Hargreaves | 3.76 |
| Teck-Hughes | 4.40 |
| Treadwell | 1.35 |
| Ventures | 44 |

## London Stocks

LONDON, Feb. 17. — Brazilian Traction, $17 1-8; C.P., $22 3-4; Hydro Electric, $14 3-4; Int. Holding & Investment, $1 1-2; Int. Nickel, $12 1-8; British American Tobacco, £3 15s; Distillers, £2 4s; Dunlop Rubber, 9s 9d; Elec. & M. Ind. Ord., £1 7 1-2d; Ford, £1 10s; Hudson's Bay, 19s 6d; Imp. Chem., 15s 4 1-2d; Imp. Tobacco, £3 18s 1 1-2d; Shell T. & T., £2 2s 6d; Vickers, 8s 7 1-2d; British 5 per cent war loan, 1917, £99; British 4½ per cent war loan, £96; British 4 per cent, 1960-90, £87 5s.


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## FOREIGN CURRENCIES COMPILED ON BASIS OF CANADIAN DOLLAR

MONTREAL, Feb. 17 (CP).—British and foreign exchange in relation to the Canadian dollar, as compiled by the Royal Bank of Canada, closed today as follows:

Argentina (peso) 0.2969; Australia (pound) 3.1467; Belgium (belga) 0.1599; Brazil (milreis) 0.0726; Czechoslovakia (crown) 0.0339; Denmark (krone) 0.2174; Finland (finmark) 0.0194; France (franc) 0.0451; Germany (reichsmark) 0.2721.

Great Britain (pound) 3.9452; Greece (drachma) 0.0147; Holland (florin) 0.4634; India (rupee) 0.2992; Italy (lire) 0.0595; Japan (yen) 0.4033; Jugoslavia (dinar) 0.0207; New Zealand (pound) 3.5865; Norway (krone) 0.2149.

Poland (zloti), 0.1293; Rumania (leu) 0.0070; South Africa (pound) 5.5044; Spain (peseta) 0.0885; Sweden (krona) 0.2208; Switzerland (franc) 0.2236; United States (dollar) 14 7-16 per cent premium.

## DOMINION BONDS AND WAR LOAN SECURITIES

(Burns & Wainwright)

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| Dominion 5½%, 1922 | 100.125 | 101.125 |
| Dominion 5½%, 1932 | 100.375 | 100.675 |
| Dominion 5½%, 1934 | 99.75 | 100.00 |
| Dominion 5½%, 1937 | 105.25 | 105.875 |
| Dominion 5½%, 1937 | 104.375 | 105.00 |
| Dominion 5%, 1943 | 95.50 | 96.125 |
| Dominion 4½%, 1940 | 91.825 | 92.125 |
| Dominion 4½%, 1944 | 90.575 | 91.625 |
| Dominion 4½%, 1948 | 90.625 | 91.375 |
| Conv. Loan 4½%, 1956 | 88.375 | 89.375 |
| Conv. Loan 4½%, 1957 | 86.375 | 59.275 |
| Conv. Loan 4½%, 1955 | 89.125 | 90.60 |
| Conv. Loan 4½%, 1959 | 69.675 | 90.50 |
| C.N.R. 4½%, 1951 | 88.625 | 89.375 |
| C.N.R. 4½%, 1956 | 87.625 | 66.625 |
| C.N.R. 4½%, 1957 | 87.625 | 58.625 |
| C.N.R. 4½%, 1968 | 86.25 | 87.00 |
| C.N.R. 5%, 1954 | 93.375 | 94.125 |
| C.N.R. 5%, 1969 | 94.125 | 98.125 |
| C.N.R. 5%, 1970 | 93.875 | 94.875 |
| C.N.R. 4¾%, 1955 | 90.975 | 91.625 |
| Nat. Service 5%, 1941 | ...... | 95.625 |
| Nat. Service 5%, 1941 | ...... | 97.625 |

All prices subject to 35c per $100 brokerage either way.

**A.T. & T. DIVIDEND**

NEW YORK, Feb. 17 (AP).—The American Telephone and Telegraph Company today declared the regular quarterly dividend of $2.25 a share on the capital stock.

## Canadian Dollar And Pound Rates

MONTREAL, Feb. 17 (CP).—The principal foreign exchanges again drifted slightly lower today on the Montreal market, with sterling closing at $3.9452, compared with $3.9549 yesterday, and United States money at 14 7-16 against 15 5-8 yesterday.

**AT NEW YORK**

NEW YORK, Feb. 17 (CP).—The Canadian dollar closed 1-16 cent higher on local foreign exchange today at 87 3-8 cents, and the pound sterling ended the day 1-4-cent lower at $3.44 3-4 for cable transfers.

## Foreign Bonds

(Logan & Bryan)

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| Argentine 6%, 1957 | 54 | 54½ |
| Antioquia 7%, 1945 | 11¼ | 15 |
| Australia 5%, 1955 | 54½ | 54½ |
| Austrian 7%, 1943 | 67 | 61 |
| Belgium 6%, 1955 | 85½ | 88 |
| Berlin 6%, 1956 | 24⅝ | 25¼ |
| Berlin City El. 6½%, 1961 | 47 | 47½ |
| Berlin City El. 6½%, 1958 | 21 | 22½ |
| Bolivia 6%, 1947 | 6½ | 6⅞ |
| Bogota 6%, 1945 | 16 | 16⅝ |
| Brazil 6½%, 1957 | 16 | 15½ |
| Buenos Aires 6½%, 1961 | 21¼ | 31⅝ |
| Buenos Aires 6½%, 1955 | 47 | 48 |
| Canada 5%, 1952 | 88¼ | 68⅞ |
| Can. Nat. 4½%, 1951 | 77 | 77⅝ |
| Can. Nat. 7%, 1938 | 69½ | 100 |
| Can. Nat. 4½%, 1968 | 75½ | 76½ |
| Chile 6%, 1960 | 11 | 11⅞ |
| Chile 7%, 1942 | 15½ | 15¾ |
| Costa Rica 7%, 1951 | 30 | 22⅝ |
| Chile Mtge. Bank 6%, 1961 | 13 | 13¼ |
| Colombia 6%, 1961 | 23¼ | 34 |
| Col. Mtge. Bank 7%, 1946 | 19 | 23 |
| Denmark 5½%, 1955 | 71½ | 75 |
| French 7%, 1949 | 112⅝ | 114½ |
| French 7½%, 1941 | 114⅞ | 115¼ |
| German 5½%, 1965 | 27⅛ | 27½ |
| Gt. Con. El. P. 7%, 1944 | 60 | 65 |
| Irish Free State 5%, 1960 | 70½ | 74⅝ |
| Japan 5½%, 1965 | 65 | 65½ |
| Japan 6½%, 1954 | 76⅝ | 75⅝ |
| Netherlands 6%, 1973, "A" | 104⅛ | 104⅝ |
| Netherlands 9%, 1973, "B" | 104 | .. |
| New South Wales 5%, 1957 | 46½ | 47½ |
| Norway 5½%, 1966 | 72⅝ | 75 |
| Oriental Dev. 5½%, 1958 | 53½ | 55¼ |
| Peru 6%, 1960 | 6½ | 6⅝ |
| Peru 7%, 1956 | 11¼ | 12½ |
| Poland 6%, 1950 | 56 | 56 |
| Queensland 7%, 1941 | 70 | 74 |
| Rio de Janeiro 6½%, 1953 | 10½ | 11¼ |
| Rhine West 6%, 1952 | 35⅝ | 38½ |
| Rhine West 6%, 1955 | 36⅛ | 29 |
| Sao Paulo City 6%, 1952 | 17 | 22 |
| Sao Paulo State 6%, 1968 | 11 | 11½ |
| Sweden 5½%, 1954 | 64½ | 54⅝ |
| Swiss 5½%, 1946 | 102 | 102⅝ |
| United Kingdom 5½%, 1937 | 65½ | 96⅞ |
| Uruguay 6%, 1960 | 32¼ | 33½ |
| Uruguay 6%, 1946 | 40⅝ | 44 |


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**$5,000,000**

# Province of British Columbia

## 6% Sinking Fund Debentures

**(Non-Callable)**

*Dated February 15, 1932.* *Due February 15, 1947.*

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*Subject to Legal Opinion of E. G. Long, Esq., K. C., Toronto.*

These Debentures are direct obligations of the Province of British Columbia and are payable, principal and interest, out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Province. The proceeds of this issue will be used for refunding Treasury Bills originally issued for buildings, highways, bridges and other general purposes. A sinking fund will be established sufficient to retire this issue at maturity.

British Columbia makes an important contribution to the wealth of Canada because of its abundant forestry, fishing, mining and agricultural resources. It has the largest per capita share of developed resources of any of the Canadian Provinces according to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. Manufacturing has reached an advanced stage of development and almost one-tenth of the water power turbine installation of the Dominion is within the boundaries of the Province. Vancouver, the third largest city in Canada, has become one of the most important ports on the Pacific Coast of North America.

The Province has established sinking funds against all its long term indebtedness and these sinking funds are in excess of requirements.

Information regarding the financial position of the Province will be found in the official circular which is available upon request.

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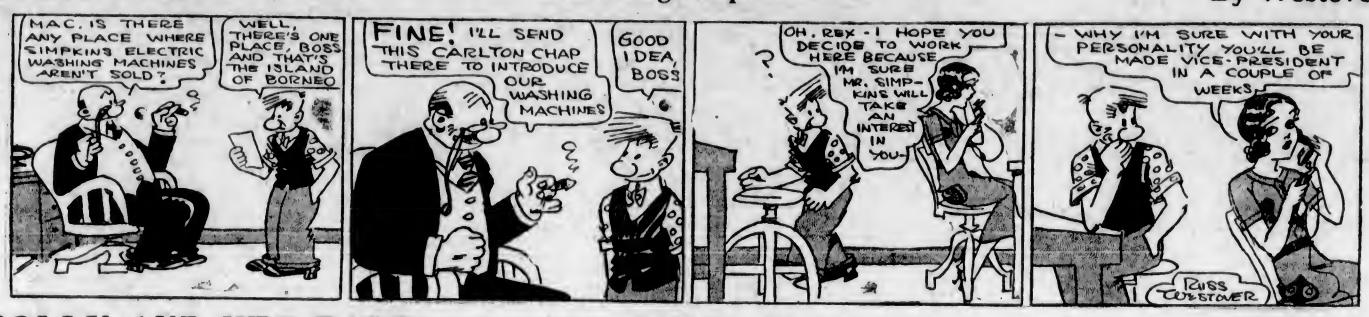


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*A Case of Mistaken Identity*

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"Say strange kid, I like those regular boy clothes. If you let me wear them I'll let you play in my million-dollar pool with the . . ." (Kindly draw straight lines between the numbers.)

## BONZO - - - - - By Studdy

## HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

By J. P. Alley

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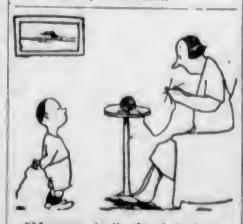
"This photograph makes me look ten years older."

"Then you won't need to have another photo taken for ten years."
—Vart Hem, Stockholm.



"Mummy, is it hard to keep a secret?"

"I have never tried?"—Pages Gales, Yverdon.

## THE MINUTE THAT SEEMS A YEAR

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS

## MICKEY MCGUIRE HAS ALWAYS DEMOLISHED EACH AND EVERY SNOW MAN WITH RIGHTS AND LEFTS TO THE JAW.

TOONERVILLE FOLKS

"I am surprised your mother consents to your marriage with Eric when she hates him so."

"That is just the reason. She wants to be his mother-in-law."
—The Passing Show, London.

# *That Body of Yours*

By James W. Barton, M.D.

### TREATING MENTAL DEPRESSION BY MUSIC, COLOR AND PERFUME

I have spoken before about experiments showing that when you are eating, if food you do not like is put in front of you, that it will interfere with the digestion of the "pleasant" food you are eating.

The very sight or smell of food you like stimulates your digestive juices.

That unsightly or ugly things, loud, "ear shattering" noises, or weird, hideous sounds have a harmful effect upon the entire nervous system has likewise been amply proven. The working ability of typists, put into a noisy room, decreases as much as 40 per cent.

Now if ugly, noisy, unwholesome things have a depressing and harmful effect upon the body, why would not the opposite—beauty, bright colors, good music—have the effect of cheering the mind and helping the body processes?

Although this idea has been suggested, it is only recently that any serious attempt has been made to really try it.

Recently a young layman, Walter Spilkay, conceived the idea that if unpleasant impacts are definitely harmful, pleasant experiences of the same sort should be definitely helpful, particularly if the three main senses—sight, hearing and smell—were appealed to at the same time.

Accordingly, one of the hospitals for mental cases in Chicago has given him space and a number of patients to try out the idea.

He has installed a "colorama," in which patterns of colored light are thrown upon the screen, a phonograph which changes records automatically, and an ordinary hand atomizer for distributing the scent he is using.

The patients sit in a row in a darkened room, the air of which has been charged with some simple, pleasing odor. The phonograph is started playing bright, stimulating music (these patients are all of the depressed type), the lights are switched on, and varied as to colors and patterns, using chiefly the stimulating colors toward the red end of the spectrum.

The sceance continues for thirty minutes and is repeated daily.

Although the experiment has only been under way a short time, Mr. Spilkay and some of the nurses feel reasonably sure that some of the patients are already showing definite improvement.

This experiment will be carefully watched by the profession. If the physical cause of their depression—infection—has been removed, this looks like sensible treatment.

"Bear up, Buster," said the fighter's second at the end of the tenth round, "you'll be all right soon."

"What yer mean," gasped Buster.

"We've sent for the detective for yer."

"What yer getting at now? What's the detective for?"

"To 'elp yer find the bloke wha' yer supposed to be 'ittin'."

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### 1 BIRTHS

EVANS—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on February 16, to Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Evans (nee Durling), of 2659 Douglas Street, a son.

### 2 DEATHS

CROOKES—At an early hour on Tuesday morning, February 16, Rose Crookes, aged fifty-one years, beloved wife of James Crookes, of Saanichton. She is survived by her husband, three daughters, Mrs. F. Tomlinson, of Bamberton, and Misses Eleanor and Louisa, at home; also four sons, Harry at Irvine, Alberta; Charles at Duncan, Frank in Vancouver, and James at home; her mother and one brother in Medicine Hat, Alberta; two brothers in California, one sister in Rockyford, Alberta, and a sister in Hart, Michigan.

The remains are resting at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home, from where the funeral will take place this afternoon and proceed to St. Stephen's Church, Mount Newton Crossroad, for service at 2 o'clock. Rev. Montague Bruce will conduct the service, after which interment will be in the churchyard.

### 4 CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. G. Bissenden and family wish to thank their friends and neighbors, the members of the Sons and Daughters of England, the Pro Patria and Carpenter's Union for their kind sympathy and beautiful floral offerings received during their recent sad bereavement in the loss of a loving husband and father.

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WOOD'S FLOWER SHOP, 1608 DOUGlas—Cut flowers and designs. Phone G arden 4014.

### 8 MONUMENTAL WORKS

STEWART MONUMENTAL WORKS, LTD. Take No. 6 or 7 street car to works. 1401 May Street. Phone G arden 2452.

### 10 COMING EVENTS

J.B.A.A. BASKETBALL DANCE, CLUBhouse, Saturday, February 20, 9:30 p.m. Zala's Orchestra. Refreshments. Admission 50c.

MILITARY FIVE HUNDRED, ST. A. & C. Society, Thursday, February 18, 1220 Government Street, 8:30 o'clock. Good prizes. Admission 25c.

### 10 COMING EVENTS (Continued)

PARTNER WHIST, EAGLES' HALL, 1319 Government Street, Thursday, 8:20 o'clock. Prizes: Two $4, two $2.50, two $1; two specials. Everybody welcome; 25c.

SAANICH BASKETBALL LEAGUE WILL hold a dance on Friday, February 19, Lake Hill Community Hall, 8 till 1. Good music, good eats. Tombola prizes.

V.W.B. BOWLING CLUB VALENTINE five hundred and dance, Stanley's Hall, Thursday, February 18, 8 to 12. Good prizes. Admission 25c.

WHY NOT HAVE A DANCE BEFORE you go home on Saturday night? Eagles' Hall, 1219 Government Street, 10.30 p.m. to midnight. Admission 15c. Card party and dance, 25c. Good music, good floor, good time. All welcome.

### 13 WANTED—MALE HELP

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ONE MONTH ONLY, BEAUTY COURSE complete $50.00. Students prepared for B.C. Examining Board. Hairdressing College, Woolworth Bldg.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS READY-TO-wear saleslady, must have good appearance and at least three years' experience in ready-to-wear. References required. Excellent salary and permanent position to right party. Apply the Plume Shop.

WE'LL PAY YOU CASH FOR KNITTING socks at home. Send stamp for particulars. Home Knitting Machine Company, 75 Dundas East, Toronto.

### 17 SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

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### 17A PAINTERS AND DECORATORS

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BUILD NOW. CEMENT, STUCCO. MODernize your home. J. Warnock. Colquitz 77Q.

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### 19 HELP WANTED

EARN UPWARDS OF $25 WEEKLY, growing mushrooms for us this Spring, in cellars and sheds. Begin now. Illustrated booklet free. Canadian Mushroom Company, Toronto.

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ADVICE AND COUNSEL TO ALL classes on every problem. Public men, speakers and teachers helped. Dr. Clam Davies, E 6712.

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LOST—ROSARY OF BLACK BEADS. Phone E 8707. Reward.

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LOST—IN SAANICHTON, SUNDAY, FEBruary 14, well-bred Springer Spaniel, male, black and white, answers to name of "Skookum." Phone Keating 47W.

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### 32 WANTED TO BORROW

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SPARLING
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210 ACRES, just off the paved West Saanich Road, eight miles out of city. Suitable for sheep, goats, chickens, turkeys. Land is rough, part clearings, good timber. Plenty of water. Buildings consist of shack, new barn 40 x 60, and other outbuildings. Land is all Page-wire fenced. Price $8,500. Owner might trade for suitable property in city or suburbs.
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This property is well located in Saanich, with view of the sea.
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### 82 ACREAGE FOR SALE (Continued)

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GREAT VALUE

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H. W. GOGGIN, Sheriff,
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CHAPTER VIII

"I don't want another dog, father," said Fabia. "I've come simply to explain to you how the accident happened."

"Well, be as brief as possible. I'm late as it is."

Not a propitious moment to approach her father, thought Fabia, but as soon as he had heard the facts his sense of justice would be aroused. She told her story with the quiet accuracy she knew would please her father, and with as little emotion as possible. But he showed no sign of the righteous indignation that was smouldering beneath her calm exterior.

"But in a case of a man running away after an accident, father."

"But you called Thad directly into the path of his car."

"Oh, I know! If I'd only kept still! If I——"

"The car was in its proper place," her father cut in, still defending Thad's murderer. "On the right-hand side of the road, and not going at a greater rate of speed than you are aware is usual on that open stretch of speedway."

"I know—but, father, after running over Thad he didn't stop," reiterated Fabia.

"Isn't there some law about stopping after running over what belongs to somebody else?"

"I'm not sure."

"Well, then, we ought to look it up, and be sure. That man ought to be punished, father, sent to prison, and make to suffer somehow for killing the dearest thing in the world to me, and then——"

"Don't dramatize, Fabia," said her father.

"I'm not dramatizing. But, father, you really don't mean to say you intend to let that man go without even trying to punish him, do you?"

"It would only cause unpleasant publicity."

"Well, why should you be afraid of publicity, if you're not ashamed of what you're doing?"

"One has to be more than not ashamed of what he does—he has to be proud of what he does," replied her father with pomp. "To enter into a quarrel with a stranger when there is no other object than to expose a sense of personal injury is not dignified. I have too many important affairs to attend to, at present, to waste any energy over this matter."

Fabia rose. "Then you won't do anything, father?"

"I think it wiser to drop the matter."

"Then I shall have to see what I can do myself."

"Don't be absurd. Understand, now that you are at home, that you cannot do anything that will result in unpleasant notoriety."

Fabia replied slowly: "I don't think I like acting on that principle. I think it makes a person cowardly."

"People in positions of leadership often have to act on principles that they do not like," remarked Grandmother Vale.

"I prefer not to be a leader if it robs one of freedom, grandmother," said Fabia.

"Join the rank and file, then, if freedom is all you want."

"I sometimes wish I could join the rank and file."

"Well, why don't you?" retorted her grandmother. "It's where you'll find most of the fools and failures."

Even at eighty-three, Grandmother Vale could jump into an argument and not trip.

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Fabia waited until the clock had struck eleven and then went to her mother's door and knocked. She was instantly answered by a cheerful "Come in."

Her mother and father occupied separate rooms. Lisa's room was as unlike the solemn, monastic atmosphere of Rupert's as a garden in the sunshine is unlike a cave. In fact, Lisa's room was unlike any other in the house. There was no suggestion of the antique about it. It was frankly modern—not modernistic. No attempt at exaggerated and exotic effects, but simply as lovely as a sensitive observance of color effects, textures, and proportions, as well as a love of comfort and an unashamed joyousness in luxury could make it.

The color of the room was the pale yellow of evening primroses. Walls, ceiling, woodwork, door trims, baseboards and window frames, as well as the bed, bureau, dressing-table, and several delicatee, cane-paneled chairs—all were the same bright, singing, canary-bird hue. At the windows hung light delphinium-blue curtains, made of crisp taffeta, with ruffle-edged valances and ruffle-edged hold-backs. A blue velour rug, thick-napped and as soft as a golf-green, covered the entire floor to within four inches of the baseboard. The chaise-longue, with its pile of blue and yellow quilted pillows and quilted blue taffeta puff, was so distasteful to Grandmother Vale, "so suggestive," she had once added, that she always avoided going into Lisa's room if possible.

Rupert couldn't remember when Lisa had shown such keen interest in anything as in redecorating her room. She hardly asked his advice at all, in spite of the fact that he was a director of the Art Museum, and often called in by the Museum to pass judgment on contemplated purchases.

When finally Lisa's room was finished, Rupert had not approved of it any more than had his mother.

Rupert was the result of his stern and rigid bringing up—the victim Lisa, in her compassionate moments, called him to herself. His imperious mother had impressed upon him (had tried to impress upon all her boys at an early age) the necessity of high principles. She had pointed out to them example upon example of young men who had been ruined by position and wealth, leading lives of ease and self-indulgence in the pursuit of pleasure. Rupert was determined that position and wealth should never ruin him.

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Rupert had two gods. They were intellectual efficiency and physical efficiency. Any act that was not in their service was futile, he thought, if not actually harmful. All indulgence of the senses was to be avoided. Rupert recognized the existence of the senses (he was well equipped with all five), but they were but a means to an end, and must be treated as such. So his mother had preached in his early boyhood days. Never fun for fun's sake. Always a worthy object in view, she had repeated to him over and over again.

Rupert played golf for the exercise. He ate for the calories. He observed a very strict diet, drank only caffeinless coffee, never touched tea (because one night, ten years ago, he had lain awake four hours after drinking two cups), and consumed his eight glasses of water daily with fervent regularity. Rupert had never sowed any wild oats. He had never been drunk in his life. He had never even been intoxicated by unalcoholic joy. To laugh till it hurt was an experience to him.

Lisa felt sorry for him when they were first married. The first musical show they attended together was in New York on their wedding trip. It wasn't very musical, but it did its best to make up for that lack in other respects. Lisa had treated Rupert that night with the gentle persuasion she would show a city-bred boy on his first visit to a farm. But Rupert didn't enjoy the farm's dirt and noises, he told her. He had sat silent and unsmiling while she had laughed till tears rolled down her cheeks at the comedian who was portraying a man who was drunk. He had sung a song that perhaps wasn't very nice, she had conceded later in their room, but it was awfully funny just the same. Lisa had defended not only the comedian and the song, but also the abbreviated costumes of the chorus girls. Rupert had sternly reprimanded her. She had felt like a naughty little girl, a punished naughty little girl as she lay in the dark, wide awake, beside this man, twenty years her senior, whom only a fortnight ago she had promised to love, honor and to obey as long as they both should live.

Rupert, too, had lain awake that night. He must be patient with Lisa, but unyielding. She had much to learn. She was young, and, though endowed with charm and a manner of distinction, he must remember she was the daughter of very simple parents. He must instill his principles in her from the start. If she was to be the mother of his children, she must learn not to laugh at cheap jokes and defend vulgarity; or, he carefully explained next morning at breakfast, to take joy in any form of amusement that did not uplift her morally, improve her intellectually or make her more fit physically. Lisa had listened, silent and aghast. That was over twenty-two years ago.

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For twenty-two years Rupert believed that his attitude towards Lisa was correct. He had acted highmindedly. From the best of motives. Entirely altruistically. For her good, for the good of their children. His principles again had been his shield. Throughout his entire married life they had been his shield whenever there were discussions of variance of opinions. But what had been Rupert's shield had been a barrier to Lisa.

Very long ago she had given up trying to break through the barrier. It was useless to attempt to make Rupert tolerant of anything which he had been taught to look upon with contempt. Her arguments were as ineffectual as drifting mist against a rampart built of stone. Grandmother Vale had built well. Oh, it wasn't right that the influence of a dominating parent should shut a boy away from all forms of fun, from all forms even of folly! A little folly was so humanizing. Its aftermath of humility, however brief, so endearing. Rupert never committed follies of which he was aware. Lisa had never seen him humble. It was Grandmother Cale's fault. She, Lisa, must not allow similar barriers to be built about her children. That had been Lisa's vow when they were babies. Difficult. Of course she wanted her children to have principles, high, strict principles, too. But humility also, tolerance, and much human kindness. Were they incompatible?

(To be continued)

## Silver Markets

LONDON, Feb. 17 (AP).—Bar silver quiet and 1-16d lower at 19 9-16d per ounce.

**AT NEW YORK**

NEW YORK, Feb. 17 (AP).—Bar silver barely steady, and 1-4c lower at 30c.

Silver futures closed easier; sales, 059,000 ounces. Quotations in cents: March, 30.22; May, 30.64; July, 30.90; September, 31.15; October, 31.30.

Judge (to negro who has been accused of assault): Did you hit in defence?

Negro: No, sah; I knocked him in de jaw, an' he fell over de fence.

## Money Markets

LONDON, Feb. 17 (AP).—Money, 3 3-4 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 4 to 5 1-2 per cent; three months bills, 5 1-8 to 5 3-4 per cent.

**AT NEW YORK**

NEW YORK, Feb. 17 (AP).—Call money steady, 2 1-2 per cent all day.

Time loans steady; 60 days, 3 1-2 to 3 3-4; 3 to 6 months, 3 1-2 to 3 3-4 per cent.

Prime commercial paper, 3 3-4 to 4.

Bankers' acceptances unchanged.

## Metal Markets

LONDON, Feb. 17 (AP).—Standard copper: Spot, £39 2s 6d; futures, £38 2s 6d. Electrolytic: Spot, £42; futures, £43.

Tin—Spot, £140 15s; futures, £143 10s.

Lead—Spot and futures, £15.

Zinc—Spot, £14 7s 6d; futures, £14 15s.

**AT NEW YORK**

NEW YORK, Feb. 17 (AP).—Copper steady. Electrolytic, spot and futures, 6 1-4 to 6 1-2.

Tin—Firmer; spot and nearby, 22.30; futures, 22.60.

Iron—Quiet; unchanged.

Lead—Steady; spot, New York, 3.75; East St. Louis, 3.55.

Zinc—Steady; East St. Louis, spot and futures, 2.82 to 2.85.

Antimony, $6.50.

## New York Sugar

NEW YORK, Feb. 17 (AP).—Raw sugar was unchanged early today, but no sales were reported. Buyers were said to be showing interest at 2.95, but holders were asking fractionally higher.

In refined, prices were unchanged at 4.15 for fine granulated, with demand still limited to nearby requirements.

## Toronto Produce

TORONTO, Feb. 17. — United Farmers' Co-operative Co. today supplied the Canadian Press with the following quotations on produce delivered at Toronto:

Eggs—Extras, doz. 23c; firsts, 21c.

Cream—Churning, No. 1, lb., 13c to 15c.

Creamery butter—No. 1 solids, lb., 16c.

Potatoes—No. 1, in bags, 25c.

## Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER, Feb. 17 (CP).—Futures quotations, bid:

| Wheat— | Open | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| March | 63⅛ | 63⅛ | 62⅞ | 62⅞ |
| May | 64⅛ | 64⅛ | 63⅞ | 63⅞ |

| Cash— | Straight | Tough |
|---|---|---|
| No. 1 Hard | 64½ | 62¾ |
| No. 1 Northern | 64 | 62½ |
| No. 2 Northern | 58¾ | 56¾ |
| No. 3 Northern | 55¼ | 53¼ |
| No. 4 Wheat | 53¾ | 51¾ |
| No. 5 Wheat | 51¾ | 49¾ |
| No. 6 Wheat | 46¾ | 46¾ |
| Feed | 46¾ | 46¾ |

## Montreal Produce

MONTREAL, Feb. 17. — Eggs, butter and cheese were unchanged on the produce market here today:

Cheese, current, 9 3-4 to 10; Summer, 12 to 12 1-2.

Butter—No. 1 finest, 17 to 17 1-2.

Eggs, in cartons—Fresh specials, 36; fresh extras, 34; fresh firsts, 30; storage extras, 25; storage firsts, 23; storage seconds, 21.

**HEAT WAVE REVIVES BEES**

When a freak heat wave swept along the Moray Firth coast of Scotland recently, it stirred bees to action a month earlier than usual. In an apiary at Buckie bees began their Spring honeymaking tours. Their trips to fields of crocus and snowdrops, usually the earliest flowers available for them, were fruitless because it was too early for blooms.

## Burgess Bedtime Stories

### Prickly Porky Grumbles

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

'Tis true no matter what the season
He grumbles most who has least reason.
—Old Mother Nature.

The great snowstorm was hard on most of the little people of the Green Forest and the Green Meadows, but harder on some than on others. A few there were who didn't mind it at all. In fact, they rather rejoiced in it. Jumper the Hare was one, for now with his snowshoes and white coat he could travel about in greater safety. Mrs. Grouse didn't mind the snow. In fact she rather liked it, for she and Thunderer could sleep safely beneath it, and while they could get about easily because of their snowshoes their four-footed enemies made hard work of it. Danny and Nanny Meadow Mouse and Whitefoot the Wood Mouse had plenty to eat and they could make little tunnels under the snow and go and come about as they pleased.

But to Reddy Fox and Mrs. Reddy, the Coyotes, Yowler the Bobcat and others who ate meat and had to catch it or starve the snow meant hard times indeed. The Squirrel cousins didn't like the snow because they could not get about freely, but they didn't have to go hungry, their storehouses were well filled. Lightfoot the Deer and his family had to stay in the "yard" they had made and didn't like this, but they could get enough to eat. Peter Rabbit had to remain in the dear Old Briar Patch to his great discontent, but he needn't starve for there was bark on the young trees and bushes to be had, and buds and tender twigs which before the snow he couldn't reach at all.

Prickly Porky the Porcupine, who spends most of his time in trees, did a lot of grumbling and he was the last one who should have grumbled as Reddy Fox pointed out to him. Reddy had found him just starting up a tree in the Green Forest and he was mumbling and grumbling to himself. Reddy stopped just beneath him.

"What is the matter, neighbor?" said he.

"I don't like this snow," grumbled Prickly Porky.

"Oh, that's it," said Reddy. "It is hard to travel in."

"It must be for those who have to travel," gumbled Prickly Porky. "I don't. I don't have to leave this tree and I don't intend to."

"What is the matter, neighbor?" said he

"Then what are you grumbling about?" demanded Reddy.

"I told you I don't like this snow," retorted Prickly Porky. "I have to brush it off the twigs I eat. It gets up my nose. It gets in my coat. What are you grinning at?"

Reddy grinned more broadly than ever. "Listen!" said he. "If there is anyone in all the Green Forest who has no reason to grumble you are that one. You don't have to wade through this snow. You don't have to seek for something to eat and then have to catch it as I do and Old Man Coyote and Yowler the Bobcat and others do. No matter how much snow there may be you can always get food enough. You have no enemies to fear. You have nothing to worry about. You can eat and sleep and eat some more just as well as if there were no snow. Yet here you are grumbling. Some people don't have sense enough to know when they are well off."

"I don't like this snow," whined Prickly Porky.

Reddy began to lose patience. "I don't know from one meal to another where the next one is coming from," said he. "I hardly ever know what a full stomach is in Winter, but I know what an empty one is a good part of the time. I have to hunt for every mouthful I get. While the snow is soft it makes hard going for me. It hides those I seek at the very time it is hardest to catch them, even when I see them. But you don't hear me grumbling. No, sir, you don't hear me grumbling."

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